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WHITEAWAY'S

Special to the "Telegraph"

BERLIN, SEPT. 27, (UP).—SPAIN IS EXPECTED TO BE THE NEXT SIGNATORY TO THE AXIS PACT SIGNED TO-DAY BY CERMANY, ITALY AND JAPAN.

RELIABLE SOURCES CLAIM THAT AN AXIS TREATY WITH SPAIN WILL BE SIGNED SOMETIME NEXT WEEK.

IT IS STATED THAT SENOR SUNER THE SPANISH FOREIGN MINISTER CONFERRED WITH COUNT CIANO FOR TWO HOURS THIS AFTERNOON, AND AUTHORISED QUARTERS DECLARE THAT COUNT CIANO WILL PROBABLY REMAIN IN BERLIN FOR ANOTHER TWO

DISASTROUS DAY FOR NAZIS

Special to the "Telegraph"

LONDON, Sept. 27 (UP).—To-day's mass raids on Britain ended disastrously for the Germans, when it was officially announced that they had lost 122 planes during the day.

This "bag" was scored by R.A.F. fighters and anti-aircraft guns up to 7.30 this evening.

BIG GUNS

Across Channel

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" LONDON, Sept. 27 (UP).— British and German guns were ploded in mid-air. engaged in a duel across the The air battle took place during. Straits of Dover this afternoon and interrupted, the funerals of four British artillery replied to a Nazi bombardment of the Dover area three bombers of a formation of 16 from the French coast.

The cannonade began at 1.30 p.m. when a single shell landed squadrons and at least two more near Dover.

Afterwards the shelling continued

at a rate of one round per minute. for 25 minutes after which the British air raid shelter during this morning's air raid. guns took up the duel. The fight became more intense

later but no damage was done to

progress, a formation of R.A.F. inflicted severe losses, particularly in Cap Gris Nez where the flashes of an Air Ministry communique the German guns were clearly seen. Two of these attacks were made

American Defence

WASHINGTON, Sept. 27 (Reuter) Roosevelt is receiving Lord Lothien, casualties resulted, some of which on Japan's relations with the Soviet floor of the airman's cockpit melted spirit of confidence in which it the date of this notice. ethe British Ambassador, and afterwards will lead defence officials at the Cabinet session this afternoon.

Dugong Captured



The first Dugong or sea-cow raiders. seen in the Colony for 50 years by Europeans at Chung Sha east outskirts of London, states the fighters had been locked in battle in Lau, near Lantau Island. Pic- synchronisation of fighter interception the haze above the bombers. As the ture shows the dugong on a was brilliant. sampan. These strange mam- aircraft shellbursts collected until in among them until they were lost bring bad luck.

missing, but 14 of the pllots are reported safe.

Air Battle over Dorset It is revealed that a big air battle took place over the Dorset coast, when 50 Nazi raiders crossed from the Channel.

hit from anti-aircraft shells and ex- thrust into Indo-China, authoritative Cross to an 18-year-old R.A.F. Sergeant, John Hannah, of Paisley.

long-range German airmen who had been killed In dog-fights two days ago. Spitfires definitely brought down over the Thames Estuary in the

afternoon. They later took on several more

raiders fell. Twenty-two girls between the ages i of 16 and 30 were killed, and many The bombardment was maintained at mild should in a factory

Official Story

London, Sept. 27 (Reuter).-"Our fighters intercepted several enemy While the bombardment was in attacks in south England to-day and bombers flew out to sea heading for the neighbourhood of London," says

on London this morning and a third In the early afternoon

to houses was caused.

were fatal.

casualties were slight. Attempt on Bristol

TURN to Page 5, Column Three States,

London's Defences In Magnificent Form

LONDON, Sept. 27 (Reuter).—In Greater London war work carried on smoothly to-day with minimum interruption while large German bomber formations, escorted by even bigger fighter escorts, tried repeatedly to penetrate the defences in their most determined daylight attack on the capital since September 15.

To-day the most concentrated ed shrapnel in loose formation and been known as the terror of Wazirisanti-aircraft fire London has possibly all that remained of a larger tan, has intely been living a secluded published, does not materially even seen in daylight harried the

"Reuter's" nir correspondent, who, swered off, was captured a few days ago witnessed the operations on the south- All this time Allied and German

mals, found frequently in the they formed a pool of black smoke to sight. south Pacific are rare here and over a wide area 25,000 feet up. This scene was repeated many are supposed by Chinese to Shortly afterwards eight large times on the southern outskirts of direction of that death trap of scatter- valleys to the Channel.

In the face of the gunbursts they gradually turned tall and then all

latter turned and the guns became Over the Thames Estuary, anti-silent, fighter after fighter dropped

HITLER GETTING DESPERATE

A London message says that intimations that the Axis alliance with Japan will shortly be followed by one with Spain are considered as a further indication that Germany now realises the war will be a long one, and, with his blitzkrieg frustrated, Hitler requires additional active allies.

As far as the Axis alliance with Japan is concerned the real value, it is thought in London, will be to offer a maximum propagandist advantage to the Axis Powers.

However, declare authorities, Japan appears to have rushed into an alignment which can bring her no succour, while em-Thirty-one British fighters are barrassing her with undertakings which she will have to carry out alone. The pact is regarded in official British circles as a "blatant attempt to intimidate the United States."

German Interpretation BERLIN, Sept. 27 (UP).—The Five of the invading machines Axis alliance with Japan is a "docuwere quickly shot down by British mentation of Japan's new policy" of Spliffres, while one received a direct which the first sign was the Japanese announcement to-day that the King has awarded the Victoria quarters said here to-day.

CHANGE IN **POLICY**

TOKYO, Sept. 27 (Reuter),-"There will be no change in Japan's non-involvement policy at this stage: Japan is not roing to participate in the European war nor is she attacking any other country," declared a Foreign Office spokesman tonight, announcing the conclusion of the pact between Japan, Germany and Italy.

They also pointed out that this new direction of Japanese expansion away "A few bombs fell in central Lon- from Russia, for that reason alone, don and a number in the south and could not conceivably be interpreted south-west districts. Some damage as being potentially directed against intense heat and fumes, but had the

Russia. "In South London, an industrial This, they said, might even be de-

"Bombs were also dropped in Authorised quarters also declared several places in Kent and Essex, but that a large proportion of the war-i reports show that damage and mongers referred to in Herr Ribbentrop's speech can be found in the United States,

They made this statement when safely back. "During the morning a force of asked whether the pact with Japan enemy aircraft crossed the Dorset was directed against the United

he remained and fought the fire for by M. Baudoin the Foreign ten minutes, first with extinguishers and then with the log book. Almost Blinded Thousands of rounds of ammunition exploded in all directions. Hannah was almost blinded by the

Hannah on September 15 was to

wireless operator and gunner

barge concentrations at Antwerp.

During intense anti-aircraft fire,

the plane received a direct hit

on the bomb compartment. Fire

quickly enveloped the wireless

operator's and rear-gunner's

cock-pits, and as the petrol

tanks were pierced there was

Hannah forced his way through the

flames to the extinguishers and dis-

covered that the rear-gunner had

been compelled to bail out.

grave risk of the fire spreading.

presence of mind to obtain relief by incident had been settled. The away, leaving only the cross bearers. was drawn up."

Finally with burnt hands and face he crawled forward and ascertained that the navigator had left the plane re-assigned from the Key-Posts is entitled or hereafter becomes to the pilot who brought the aircraft sential Services.

Fakir Of Ipi Surprised Says Egypt Must Fight

PESHAWAR, Sept. 27 (Reuter) .-

his associates his astonishment at immediately.

The Fakir, who for 15 years has life and has not indulged in hostile alter the situation, and if there

Car Down Hillside: Britain and the Axis. Driver Unhurt

Thursday night when his car left the would seem to involve Japan if any actually defined officially. road and plunged 40 feet down the other country as well as America As far as can be seen, the United hillside. The car was extensively entered the struggle; enemy bombers emerged from the London and over the Downs and damaged but Major Harvey suffered Would It apply, for instance, in attitude towards the Far Eastern

A column of smoke rises high in the air-and another Italian fort has gone out of business. This picture was taken during the bambardment by British forces of Fort Maddalena in See Air Duel the western desert of Libya.

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The currencies of the Belgian Congo, Netherlands West Indies, Newfoundland, Panama, Philippine Minister to the Council of Islands, and Portugal. Ministers to-day, the Franco-

This obligation is in addition to the Japanese conflict at Dongdang obligation to make a return in respect of securities involving the currencies of the United States. Canada etc. An official communique an- which has already been notified under the Defence (Finance) Re-

Notification should be made to the turning on the oxygen supply, and new Franco-Japanese accord Assistant Financial Secretary (Ex--It is announced that President building was hit and a number of monstrated with an announcement the alternative sheet months of the would be forced "in a friendly change), within twenty-one days of

> Must Offer To Govt. It is also notified that every British Charles Gerald Tresidder has been subject resident in the Colony who and passed the latter's log and maps Group to the General Group for Es- entitled to sell or to procure the sale TURN to Page 5, Column Three

Axis-Japanese Pact Is Aimed At America

(Reuter).—The primary The Fakir of Ipl, has expressed to purpose of the Axis-Japanese pact is obviously Egypt's failure to declare war as the to keep the United States out of the war, says result of the Italian invasion of Reuter's diplomatic correspondent. The specific resersuch a declaration should be made vation regarding the Soviet apparently indicates that the signatories are not worried over Russia.

> The text of the pact, as are no secret clauses, it should larly disturbed by the new pact benot affect the struggle between tween the Axis Powers and Japan

. It amounts to little more than a dicated here. declaration of non-belligerency on the part of Japan in place

Egypt declared war on Italy?

America Isn't Worried

WASHINGTON, Sept. 27 (Reuler) -The United States is not particuand will continue to aid Britain by all methods short of war, officials in-

It is considered that the pact Major W. G. Harvey, R.A.M.C. neutrality.

was driving along Island, Road on The somewhat vague formula hitherto has been obvious but not Sintes will continue her present TURN to Page 5, Column Two

R. A. F. HIT NAZI WARSHIPS

LONDON, SEPT. 27 (UP). GERMAN WARSHIPS ARE BELIEVED TO HAVE BEEN HIT AND BADLY DAMAGED DURING THE ROYAL AIR FORCE'S RAID ON KIEL LAST NIGHT.

It is officially reported that one pilot saw a "colossal red and orange fire" on the east side of the harbour basin as the result. of many bomb bursts.

Another vessel is reported to have been hit in the west side of the basin.

Aqueduct Bombed Several bombs straddled ti

Dortmund-Ems canal aqueduct 'a salvo of high explosive bombs falling beside the lock gates. Direct hits were plainly seen at the famous Autobasa, seven miles

west of Andermunde. Another burst was observed on the south end of the Munster acrogroms. The heaviest raids were made on with Le Havre where a particularly large blaze was started at the eastern end of the railway quays at annie

King George And Queen

Ringed By Crowd

LONDON, Sept. 27 (Reuter). —The King and Queen (who had earlier toured St. Thomas Hospital which was recently bombed) were among the crowds which raptly followed this afternoon's exciting air battle over

Their Majestles were, touring the bombed areas and were standing, on the edge of a huge crater. They saw shells bursting in the sky and watched British fighters hotly pursuing a

formation of German bombers. A crowd of men, women and children, some of whose houses had been bombed, gather round the King and Queen while the battle was in progress ignoring the danger until the Police shouted to the crowd to take cover, whereupon Their Mujestics also went to the A.R.P. Control Room for shelter.

LATEST

Japanese Seize Shore Batteries

HANOI, Sept. 27 (UP).-Japanese troops to-day occupied the Doson shore batteries protecting Halphong after detaining two French officers and disarming Annamite soldiers. French officials said the Japanese cccupation of the batteries giving the Japanese their first naval base in Indo-China-"is a minor incident unlikely to have important repercus-

The Japanese have established their headquarters in Haiphong in the offices of the Southwestern Transportation Company-a Chinese American company which imported American trucks to China before the closure of the Indo-China border. It is estimated that a thousand new American trucks at Halphong await. ing delivery will now be confiscated by the Japanese.

LONDON, Sept. 27 (Reuter) -The Air Ministry states that the number of enemy aircraft now known to have been destroyed to-day is 180, of which two were shot down by anti-

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> See Buck Fage For Further Late News

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1,03 Musical Comedy Selections. 1.30 Reuter and Rugby Press. Weather Forecast and Announce-

menta. 1.45 Dance Music by Billy Cotton's

المحو 2.10 Close Down. 6,00 p.m. Gognod's "Faust"—Act Closing Local Stock Quota-

Brahms—Variations on a Theme of Paganini. Egon Petri 7.00 Studio-Talk by H K. Woo

en Confucium 7.28 Light Orchestral Selections. 7.30 London Relay....The News. 8.00 Local Time Signal, Weather Report and Announcements. 8.02 Gershwin-An American in

Paris, ... New Light Symphony Orchestra with George Gershwin 8.20 Ambrose and Ills Orchestra. 8.45 London Relay-London Loz. 2.00 London Relay-The News and Topical Talks.

9.20 Schoollons from "The Plrates of Pensance." 9.55 New Variety. 11.00 An Hour of Dance Music 12 midnight. Close Down.

To-morrow's Programme Brondenst by Z. B. W. on a Frequency of 845 k.e's, and on Short Wave from 10.15-2.30 p.m. and B-10,35 p.m. on 9,52 m.c's. per second 19.15 p.m. Relay of Morning Service from the Methodist Church.

12.15 p.m. Schumann Symphony No. 4 in O Miner Op. 120. 12.41 Schubert-Rondo in A Major. ... Temianka (Violin). 12.55 Two Schuhert Songa

Near the Beloved, Laughing and Weeping.....Elizabeth Schumann. "1.00" Local Time Signal and Weaher Report. 1.03 Mayis Bennett and the New

Wayfair Orchestra. 1.30 Reuter and Rugby Press. Weather Forecast and Announcenenta. 1.45 Beetheven-Sonata in B Fint

Major Op. 22. . . Arthur Schnabel Piano). 2.10 Handel—Concerto Grosso—No. Op. 6,.... The Boyd Neel String will be held at the S & S flome on Tues-

Orchestra. 2.30 Close Down, 7.00 The New Light Symphony FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST Drohestra with Wm. Brownlow.

7.30 London Relay—The News. 8.00 Local Time Signal, Weather Report and Announcements. B.02 p.m. Compositions of Bizet, 845 Studio-The seventeenth of a

Sories of Book Reviews. 9.00 London Relay—The News. 9.30 Studio-A Talk on 'Kenya and Uganda."

9.45 A Programme of Sir Edward Elgar's Compositions. 10.15 Studio Sunday Evening Splingue—conducted by a Minister of the Congregational Church.

10.35 Close Down.

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CHURCH NOTICES

CHRIST CHURCH (KOWLOON TONG)

Dr. T. Z. Koo to Preach At The Mandarin Congregation

Bunday, Sept. 29, XIX after Trinity Services in English,—7,18 a.m. Holy Communion; 9 45 a.m Mattins, Preacher; The Vient Hymnn; 490. The King of Love (Tune St. Columba.); 243. Around the throne of God. (Tune Solothurn.); 511. When all thy mercies, O my God ... (Tune Belgiove), 418, Jesu, name all names above Tune Werde Munter.). Services in Mandarin.--11 a.m Anniversary Festival Service Holy Communion, Preacher Dr T Z Koo, Secretary, World Student Christian Federation This is the second anniversary of the Mandatin Congregation which first met in Christ Church at the end of September,

The Christ Church Sunday School under the superintendent, Mrs. P. E. E. Booker re-opens at B n.m. at 3 Duke St., im Sunday, Bept. 29, Tuesday Oct, L.-B p.m. Mandarin Commilitee Meeting in No 117, Waterloo Road Wednesday, Oct. 2.—6 p.m. in the Church Confirmation Class, 6 p.m. Guild Committee in the Vienzage, 8:30 p.m. Fellowship Committee n No 354, Prince Edward Road, 1st Floor Thursday, Oct 5 -- 7.15 a.m. Holy Com munion, 10 a.m. Guild of Martha & Mary Felday Oct 4 845 pm Concert in St Andrews Church Hall Tickets \$2 and Saturday Oct 5 Piente for the girls

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Notices, Offertory, Hymn No. 238, Sermon, Hymn No. 507, Benediction. Notices for the Week 1. Following the Evening Service Social Hour will be held at the S. & S. fome at 8.15 p.m. All Servicemen and civilians will be warmly welcomed, 2. A meeting for Prayer and Fellowship day at 8.30 p.m.

SCIENTIST (3) MACDONNELL ROAD)

Bervice on Sunday, September 29 The subject of the Lesson Sermon in all Christian Science Churches will be The Golden Text will be: "Fear not little flock. It is your Father's good pleasure to give you the kingdom." (Luke Among others the following citations will be read from the Bible, "Now when the sun was setting, all they that had any sick with divers diseases brought them unto him; and he laid his hands on every one of them, and healed them. And he saith unto them, I must preach the kingdom of God to other cities also; for therefore am I sent." (Luko 4: 40, 43). The following citations will also be read from the Christian Science Textbook. Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures, by Mary Baker Eddy: "Belief in a material basis, from which may be deduced all rationality, is slowly yielding to the idea of a metaphysical basis, looking away from matter to Mind as the cause of every effect....Jesus demonstrations slit the chaff from the wheat, and rold the verity and the reality of good, the unreality, the nothingness of evil Reality is spiritual, harmonious, immut-

able, immorial, divine, eternal," (Science and Health, Pages 208, 209, 335).

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The case of this particular woman is being closely investigated,

Meanwhile, guards at docks have removed rings from women's fingers, taken away jewelled cuff links from men's shirts, seized all kinds of other jewellery from hiding places in trunks and cases.

A number of women have been

The jewels are being kept safely, and the owners may reclaim them as soon as they return to Britain. Most of the people trying to take out jewels-which are easily saleable abroad-were on their way to Canada or the U.S.A.

NEXT CHANGE

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"From now on, Amigo, lamthrough BUT YOU, SENORITA YOU ARE DIFFERENTI" CESAR ROMERO thrills you again as O.Hanry's romantic adventurori JEAN ROGERS CHRIS-PIN WARTIN MINOR WATSON STANLEY FIELDS A 20th Century Fox Picture.

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1. Recruits Medical Examination Fri. Oct. 4, 11.Q. 5.30 p.m. Lt. E. W. (a) Corps Artillery:

(i) Dress for all day training for all other ranks-coast defence batteries, As 5.30 p.m. and Wed. Oct. 2, 11,Q, 5.30 p.m. Those already detailed. (ill) 1st Battery, Tues. Oct. 1, H.Q. 5.30 p.m. L.G. Cinas Muftl. Thurs. Oct. 3, H.Q. 8.00 a.m. for D'Aguilar, (iv) 2nd. Baltery,-Tues. Oct. 1. No will be drawn, Fri. Oct. 4. Garrison parade, Thurs, Oct. 3, 11.Q, 5.30 p.m. In- School. 2.15 p.m. Dress-Shirt, shorts, spection of kit, equipped and publica- boots, putters, hosetops, S.D. cap, web tions. Every member of the Battery must belt, respirator, Kit bag with remainder attend this parade bringing with him all of kit will be brought. articles including drill and equipment books with which he has been issued. Sept. 30, 11.Q, 5.30 p.m. L.G. Recapitula-Dress-Muftl, Sat, Oct. 5, H.Q. 2.15 p.m. non Tues. Oct. 1, Exchange Billg, 5.30 Week-end training at Bluff Head, Knife, p.m. Comm. Equipment, Practical Work, fork and spoon, plate and must must be Thurs, Oct. 3, Exchange Bldg, 5.30 p.m. brought, also greatcost, Advance Party as Comm. Equipment, Practical Work, Fri under will parade at H.Q. at 10 a.m.:- Oct. 4, H.Q. 5,30 p.m. L.G. Immediate HQMS, Andrews, Gnrs. Ollver, Sipitsky, Action Lesson IX Blake, Flotsand Stakland and Quie, (v) 3rd, Battery, Thurs, Oct. 3, H.Q. Current Accounts opened in Local Currency and Fixed Deposits received in Local Currency and Sterling on terms that Local Currency and Sterling on terms that may be ascertained on application.

D.E.L. School, 5.30 p.m. D.E.L. Recruits. Sat. Oct. 5, H.Q. 2.30 p.m. Week-end Sat. Oct. 5, H.Q. 2.30 p.m. Week-end Talk Sat. Oct. 5, H.Q. 2.30 p.m. Week-end Sat. Oct. 5, H.Q. 2.30 p.m. Sat. Oct. 5, H.Q. 2.30 p.m. Week-end Sat. Oct. 5, H.Q. 2.30 p.m. Sat. Oct. 5, H.Q. 2.30 p.m

Course, Dress-Muftl, (b) Field Company Engineers.-Mon. Sept 30, R.C.R. 5,30 p.m. Musketry and Sgt. A. L. Cole, from 4th, Battery to Arms Delli, Thurs, Oct. 3, K.C.R. 8,30 A.S.C. Coy, 27,9,40; Sgt. W. R. Brumwell, a.m. Those detailed, Road Recce and from 4th Battery to No. 7 Company (Pte.) Compass Survey In New Territories. 27,9.40; Remainder, K.C.R. Technical Training.

(c) Corps Signals,—Sun. Sept. 29. There 29.4.41. Drnr. W. R. Forsyth, No. 2 will be no Map Reading Exercise Mon. Cov., 11.9.40-15.10.40; Gnr. E. W. Railton, Sept. 30, H.Q. 5.15 p.m. (1) Line & Operat- | 5th A.A. Bity., 22.9.40-0.10.40; Sgt. L. J. ing Section:-Semaphore, (ii) D/R Sec- Cave, Pay Section, 23.9.40-6,10.40; Pte, S. tion:-Burzer Rending Practice, Wed K. Luk, No. 4 Coy., 23,0.40-13,10.40; Ptc. der :- Signal Training at H.Q. (iii) Even- 20.9.40-28.9.40; Pte. W. Lowe, Mobile Coln., ing parade, Lecture on Island Com- 28,9,40-30,9,40; Pic. G. Campbell, Training munications Fri Oct. 4, H.Q. 2.00 p.m (i) Cadre, 30.9,40-15,10,40; Ptc. T. A. Madai W/T Detach :- Training at Victoria Bar-racks. (ii) Line Detach.-Signal Training Richards. Corps Signals, 4,10,40-31,10,40; under own Commanders. (Lamp. Signall-under own Commanders. (Lamp. Signall-under own Commanders.) ing, and Telescope). (ifi) D/R Section:— 7.11.40; Field Signalling Exercise, (iv) Evening Parade;—Advanced Class—Map Reading Pie. C. Lecture. Remainder-Morse Flag. (d) Mobile Column.-(1) Sun, Sept. 29, Ptc. G. D. Hufschmied, Mobile Column. All Platoons, Kowloon City Range, 8.30 31.8.40; Pte P. W. Calderara, No. 1 Coy., a.m. Dress Shirts, Trousers K.D., Topees, 31,840; Pte. H. E. Zulauf, No. 1 Coy., Black Boots. Equipment-Drill Order. (it) 31,8.40; Ptc. W. E. Grieve, No. 1 Coy.,

Pl.—Battle Order—Overalls. Remainder— 15,9.40; L/Cpl. C. C. Pereira, No. 6 Coy., Pi.—Battle Order Overalls, Remainder—Battle Order, less Stoel Helmets; Topecs 17.9.40; Pte, H. M. Snow, No. 1 Coy., will be worn. Dutics, Nos. 3. 4, & 9 19.9.40; Pte, M. K. Wong, Fd. Ambulance, (M.M.G.) pl. Orderly Sgt.—Sgt. H. F. Hopekins, Orderly Cpl.—Cpl. K. Mitchell, Duty Section—No. 6. Parade at 0730 hours, (ili) 23.9.40; Spr. M. G. Krivor, Fd. Coy. Engrs., Section—No. 6. Parade at 0730 hours, (ili) 24.9.40; Pte. T. G. Paterson, Special Guard Fri. Oct. 4. Nos. 1 & 2 (Armd. C.) Pl. Coy., 24.9.40; Pte. J. Brooks, Special Guard Coy., 24.9.40; Pte. J. Br H.O. 5.30 p.m. L.G. Training, Nos. 3, 4 Coy., Hughes Group, 24.9.40;

1, 2 & 3 Pls.-Cmdrs, arrangements, No 4 Pl.-L.G. Training, Recruits-Points B.D.A. Sun, Oct. 0, Queen's Pier, 8,00 Course. Stonecutters. (f) No. 2 Company. Tues, Oct. 1, Kows | teer Cricket.

(g) No. 3 Company,-Sun. Sept. 29, in those detailed from No. 11 Platoon.
Launch will leave Queen's Pier at 8.00
a.m. calling at Kowloon Police Pier at 8.10 a.m. Dress—helmets, shirts, shorts; Equipment, less haversack and water-bottle. Mon. Sept. 30, H.Q. 8.30 a.m. Dress as hefore. No 9 Platoon—from and sideas before. No. 9 Platoon-frogs and sidearms, Wed, Oct. 2, H.O. 5.30 p.m. N.C.O's class, Thurs, Oct. 3, H.Q. 5.30 .m. Com-

pany parade. (h) No. 4 Company,-Mon. Sent. 30. (l) Classes 1 and 2. H.Q. 5.15 p.m. Miniature Rango. (il) Remainder. H.Q. 5.30 p.m. Musketry, Squad and Arms Drill Wed. Oct. 2, H.Q. 8.15 a.m. All Day Training. Battle Order. Helmets will be worn; Frl. John's Cathedral 5.30 p.m. Manning, Dress as per platoon circular, kong, for training during the period kong, fo mainder. 5.30 p.m. il.A. (iii) L.G Sections 5.30 p.m. Elementary Handling. Duties of No. 1 and 3. Part I. Fri. Oct. 4. H.O. 5.30 p.m. N.C.O's Class—E.G.D. (i) No. 6 Company.—Tues. Oct. 1. H.O. Fri. Oct. 4. H.Q. 8.00 n.m. Dress-4as be-

Instruction. Fri, Oct. 4. 11.Q. 8,00 n.m. Field Training Dress-Fighting Order .-Sept. 29. to Sat. Oct. 5. inclusive. Trans-

port and supplies Section for duty as designed under unit arrangements. Section in the prosecution of training programmes to C.S.M. Thurs, Cet. 3, II.Q. 5.30 p.m. Whole Company. I.M.G. —Revision. Care and cleaning. Points during and after. Flementary handling. S.A.T. Riffe. Individual fire discipline training. Section fire discipline. Dress—Coveralls, S.D. Cap. Brown or black shoes. Overalls, S.D. Cap. Brown or black shoes. C.S.M. will arrange to draw stores. Duty sections will receive instructions from C.S.M. Duty Officer detailed for the week. In future will parade in uniform and will inspect duty sections daily. All

Hongkong Volunteer Defence Corps officers should make themselves fully accorders by Col. H. B. Rose, M.C., Comquainted with the work carried out by mandant, Hongkong Volunteer Defence the Company in connection with the Corps transport and ration supply. Sun. Oct. 6. Kowloon City "B" Range. 9.00 a.m. L.M.G. Classification. Those detailed. Dress-Shirt, shorts, helmet, boots, puttees, hosetops, belt. Duty officer.—Capt. Davies. Duty N.C.O.—Cpl. Sugars. (m) Field Amhulanco,-Tues. Oct. H.Q. 9.00 a.m. Right Section under Lt. Stout, Wed, Oct. 2, H.Q. 9.00 a.m. Centre (ii) Gas course.-Mon. Sept. 30, 11.Q. Section under Lt, Rodrigues, Thurs, Oct. 3, H.Q. 9.00 n.m. Left Section under Lieut. | sre closed at 5 p.m. Balean. Dress-As for usual weekly train-(n) Pay Section.-Wed. Oct. 2, It.Q. 2.30 Manila, Ceylon, India and Cape n.m.-Dress-Mufti, Overalls and Rifles

> (o) Fortress Signal Company,--Mon. 3. Corps Orders Amendments

Para, 10-Transfer, Pto, J. Adam and Sat. Oct. 5, 11.4. 2.30 p.m. Week-cutt training at Pak Sha Wan. Knife, fork and spoon, plate and mug must be brought, also greateout.

(vii) 5th, A.A. Battery.—Sat. Sept. 25, 1.6 pt. 1.7 p.40; L/Cpl., 27.9.40; L/Cpl., 1.7 p.40; Sgt. R. 1.8 promotions

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Ptc. J B. Wood, No. 2 Coy., 30,8.40-7, Strength Decrease

Ple, C. M. Hall, Special Guard Coy., 19,8.40; Pte. K. C. Wu. No. 7 Cay., 21,8.40; dom will be forwarded with or with-. Wed, Oct. 2. All Platoons, Hung Hom. 13,9.40; Pte. C. T. Eager, Training Cadre, out superscription 8.00 a.m. Tactical Exercise—New Terri- 13.0.40; Pie. J. E. Maher, A.S.C. Coy., tories, Dress;—Nos. 1 & 2 (Armd, C.) 14.0.40; Gnr. F. W. Chandler, 2nd Bty.,

& B (M.M.G.) Pl. H.Q. 530 p.m. Map

8. Strength Increase
Reading & Message Writing, No. 6 Pic. J. S. Lee, Mobile Column, 0.9.40; Platoon, H.Q. 5.30 p.m. Stoppages.

(e) No. 1 Company.—Mon. Sept. 30. Ptc. B. Talbot, A.S.C. Coy., 9.9.40; Gnr. H.Q. 8.30 a.m. as usual. Part I M.G. W. P. Pullen, 2nd Bty., 26.9.40; Ptc. N. Course and Field Exercise, Tues, Oct. 1, Kim, Training Cadre, 5.9.40; Pto. E. S. 11.O. 5.30 p.m. Nos. 1.C. 3, and 4 Pls.—1. G. Williams, Training Cadre, 24.9.40; Ptc. F. Training, Recruits—I. A. Revision, Fri. A. Rapp, Training Cadre, 26.9.40; Ptc. G. Oct. 4, H.Q. 5.15 p.m. Casuals Part I M.G. F. Gilbert, Corps Headquarters, 26.9.40; Course, Fri. Oct. 4, H.Q. 5.30 p.m. Nos. E. N. Timesay, Cantain.

Adjutant, H.K.V.D. Corps. Cricket.-Unit representatives will ata.m. Kowloon Pler-8.15 a.m. Part II M.C. tend a meeting at H.Q. on Monday. September 30, at 6.30 p.m. to discuss Volunloon Dock, 5.30 p.m. No. 6 Platoon. Wed. Inter-Unit Bowls Competition.-It is pro-Oct. 2, H.Q 5.30 p.m. company parade, posed to hold an inter-unit bowls com-Fri. Oct. 4, Field Day. No. 6 Platoon and Detition, for which a cup has been effered. Kowloon recruits at K.C.R. Station—I a m. Unit commanders are requested to Remainder at H.Q. 7.30 a.m. Dress as for nominate a member of their company to normal field day with stings & frogs, discuss the project, at a meeting to be Orderly Sergeant, Sgt. Swan, 27.9.40- held under the chairmanship of the Corps. Sports Officer in the Lecture Room, on Tuesday October 1, at 5,30 p.m. Sergeants' Mess .-- Any member of the M.G. Part II for Nos. 9 & 10 Platoons and Sergeants' Mess who wishes to compete

> AFFILIATED UNIT Nursing Detachment,

1. Practical Class .- Mon. Sept. 30. St. Oct. 4. (1) Classes 9 and 10. H.Q. 5.15 2. Rehearsal for Entertainment.-Fri-Det. 4. (1) Classes 9 and 10. H.G. 5.10 Oct. 4 - he's Cathedral Hall 5.30 p.m. p.m. Miniature Renge. (ii) Remainder. Oct. 4 - he's Cathedral Hall 5.30 p.m. p.m. Musketry. Sat. Oct. 5, No. 3. Attachment.—The undermentioned H.Q. 5.30 p.m. Week-end was attached to Military Hospital. Honge.

> (Sgd.) I. M. S. Braudz, Comdt., Nursing Detachment, H.K.V.D.C. **GANDHI SEES VICTORY**

Simla, Sept. 27. Gandhi saw the Viceroy, Lord Lin-(k) No. 7 Company.—Mon. Sept. 30. lithgow, to-day in their seventh inII.Q. 5.45 p.m. L.G. & Rifle Instruction as
detailed. L.G. Nos. 1 and 24. Revolver terview since the beginning of the war. The object of the visit is to ascertain the Government attitude towords the resolution of the Indian Congress passed last week by which port and supplies Section for duty as des its conditional offer to co-operate

POST OFFICE

The Imperial. Airways Service between Hongkong and Bangkok is temporarily suspended. Air mail correspondence will be accepted at the existing rates of postage and will be forwarded by the first opportunity by steamer to Singapore to connect with the east and westbound air services.

Small Packet Post to all countries s suspended.

INWARD MAILS

U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghal-(Son Francisco date, 1st Sep-London and Straits Sept. 30. Java and ManilaOct. 1. Australia and ManilaOct. 2. IJ.S.A., Japan' and Shanghai (Scattle date, 28th August)Oct. 3. Air Mall br. "Pan American Airways Direct Service," San Francisco date 27th September.Oct. 4. U.S.A., Honolulu Japan and Shang-(San Francisco date, 23rd August)Oct. 4. Calcutta and StraitsOct. 6. London and StraitsOct. 6. Java and ManilaOct. 9. Australia, Rabaul and Manila

Calcutta and StraitsOct. 13. U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghal (San Francisco date, 18th SeptemberOct. 16.

OUTWARD MAIL TIMES

Registered and Parcel Mail are plosed 15 minutes earlier, than the time given below unless otherwise dated, and where mails are advertised to close at or before 9 a.m. registered and parcel mails are closed at 5 p.m. on the previous day. .. When mails are advertised to close after 5 p.m., Registered and Parcel mails

Saturday, Sept. 28

Monday, Sept. 80 Air Mail for "Imperial Airways Service" to Connect at Singapore

G.P.O. and K.P.O. Reg. Sept. 30, 10 a.m. Ord. Sept. 30, 10.30 a.m. Straits and Calcutta. Parcels,Sept. 30, 10.30 a.m. Letters Scot. 30, 11.30 n.m.

Manila, Australia and New Zenland via Thursday Island. K. P. O. Reg.,Oct. 2, 2.45 p.m. Ord.,Oct. 2, 3.30 p.m.

Wednesday, Oct. 2

G.T.O. Reg.,Oct. 2, 2.45 p.m. Ord.,Oct. 2, 3.30 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 3 Shanghal, Japan, Honolulu U.S.A., Central and South America and

*United-Kingdom via San Fran-

cisco (No Mail for Canada). K.P.O. ParcelsOct. 3, 4 p.m. Reg.Oct. 3, 5 p.m. Ord.Oct. 3, 5.30 p.m. G.P.O. ParcelsOct. 3, 4 p.m.

Reg.Oct. 3, 5 p.m.

Ord.Oct. 3, 7 p.m.

Manila, Rabaul, Australia and New Zealand via Brisbane. G.P.O. & K.P.O. Parcels, Oct. 3, 5,00 p.m. Reg.,Oct. 4, 8.45 a.m. Ord. Oct. 4, 9.30 a.m. Shanghai, Japan, Canada, U.S.A., Central and South America and United-Kingdom via Vancouver B.C. (Parcels for Canada only).....

Note:-All mail for United-King-

G.P.O. and K.P.O. Par.Oct. 3, 5 p.m. Reg.Oct. 4, 9.15 a.m. Ord.Oct. 4, 10 n.m. Friday, Oct. 4 Manila, Macassar and Sourabaya

Air Mail for "Imperial Airways Service"-to connect at Singapore. G.P.O. & K.P.O. Reg., Oct. 4, 1.00 p.m. Ord.,Oct. 4, 1.30 p.m. Straits, Ceylon, India, Mombasa, Beira, Lourenco-Marques, East and South Africa. Vin Durban. 2.30 p.m. Air Mail for Manila, Guam, Honolulu,

U.S.A., and Europe via "Pan American Airways and Trans-Atlantic Services." K.P.O. Reg.Oct. 4, 5.00 p.m.

.....Oct. 4, 5.30 p.m. G.P.O. Reg. Oct. 4, 5.00 p.m. Ord.Oct. 4, 7.00 p.m.

Saturday, Oct. 5 Manila, Ceylon, India, East and South Africa and United Kingdom G.P.O. and K.P.O. Par.Oct. 5, 5 p.m. Reg.Oct. 5, 5 p.m. Ord. Oct. 7, 8.30 a.m.

Shanghal, Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A., Canada, C. and S. America and *United-Kingdom via San Fran-G.P.O. and K.P.O. Reg., Sept. 10, Noon.

Thursday, Oct. 10

Sunday, Oct. 18 U.S.A., Canada, Central and South America and *United-Kingdom via San Francisco (No Parcels for Canada) . G.P.O. and E.P.O. Par:Oct. 13, 5 p.m. Reg. Oct. 14, 9.45 a.m.

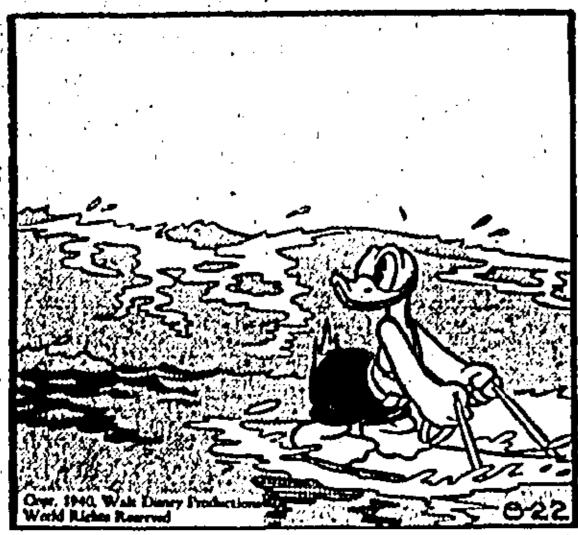
Ord. Oct. 14, 10.30 an.m. Salgon, Madang, Salamaua, Rabaul, Australia and New Zealand K.P.O. Par. Oct. 14, 4 p.m. Reg. Oct. 14, 5 p.m. Ord. Oct. 14, 5.30 p.m.

G.P.O. Oct. 14, 4 p.m. Reg! Oct. 14, 5 p.m. Ord. Oct. 14, 7 p.m. *Superscribed Correspondence Only.

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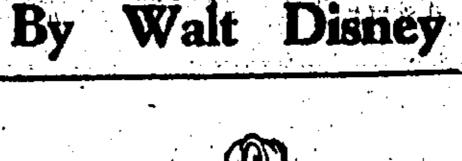
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By Allan Michie

(an American journalist working in Britain)

Y far the ablest man the Republican Party could have chosen as its representative in the November Presidential election was the candidate selected at the convention in Philadelphia-tall, crinkly-eyed, smiling Wendell Willkie.

But if any seasoned American political observer had written two months ago that Willkie would walk off with the nomination and leave veteran aspirants for the Job far behind, his comments would not have been worth the paper they were written on.

Under ordinary conditions a presidential nomination is something that must be planned for years. Ambitious young Turn Dewey has had his eye on it since 1938 and has been openly campaigning for the nomination for a year.

Benator Taft has been laying the groundwork for his selection since his first entry into politics years ago; and former President Hoover has been scheming politically for a return to office ever since his crushing defeat in 1932.

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when it is remembered that he is not Allies. As a World War veteraneven a politician. He is a highly suc- father of a 20-year-old son Candidate cessful business man, the one-man boss of the powerful Commonwealth and Bouthern electric power company, whose holdings sprawl over 12 States from Michigan to Florida. He already draws a salary equal to that of the President of the United States-£15,000 a year He is not even a well-defined Republican. He has supported Democratic politicians in the past, and in 1932 gave

£30 and his vote to President Roosevelt's campaign. not caught up with his amazing career. man

and still lists him as a Democrat. He became a Republican in the public mind only around 1933, when the Roosevelt New Deal's programme of cheap electric power came into conflict with Wilkie's vast holdings in the the Democratic nominee who, until this southern part of America.

Why He Won

Where Would You

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2. The legendary home of

support Dewey and Taft refused to combine to defeat the dark horse can didate on the first three ballots, thereby letting him build up votes for later

The second fact was that, although many of the delegates were given then mandates months ago-when America was virtually anti-Allied in its desire to stay out of war, they realised this week that Willkie's pro-Aliled stand was the attitude the American people wanted,

In domestic political affairs, 48-year old Mr. Willkie has nothing to back him but his public and written utterances -which, on the whole, are commend

He thoroughly approves the Roose velt-Hull foreign trade policy, he approves the New Deal efforts to break American business combines and monopolics--always, of course insisting that his Commonwealth and Southern is neither, he has backed such New Deal measures as relief for the unemployed unemployment insurance and old-age pensions, and he admits that such socialaws have come to stay

Two Pro-Allies Men

Last April he caused reactionary American businessmen to squirm when he said. "If free economic enterprise is unable to provide jobs and products for this country, then, obviously, some other system should be tried?

Most important from Britain's stand point, Willkie is as determined as Pre-Willkie's nomination is more surprising sident Roosevelt to extend and to the Willkie has no desire to rush America

But he is the one Republican who has insisted that America does have a stake in the continuance of the British and French way of life

Democratic political managers say that no one suits them better than Wendell Willkie as their opposition in November because they will have no trouble in convincing the American people that the presidency is the last place. Even the American Who's Who has to put an electric power Big Business

But there will be more to the campaign than that. Domestic issues are certain to be buried under American interest in foreign affairs. And if as it now appears. Candidate Willkie and week, was certain to be President Roose velt, are to be alike as two peas on foreign affairs, and particularly on aid to Britain, then the ancient prejudice. Two factors are mainly responsible against the third term plus a popular for the Wilkie victory. The first is the feeling that Wilkie can do as well as fact that the delegates to the Repub- the President may well up the scales lican Party convention pledged to in Willkie's Jayour

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BY W. N. EWER

RANCE will be are Frenchmen, Poles, Danes and systematically plundered the rest. by the German invaders as Czecho - Slovakia and Poland, Denmark and Norway. Holland and Belgium have

already been plundered. It is not a question of sporadic looting by soldiers temporarily out or hand. It is a coldiy, deliberately and efficiently organised system of

pillage Behind the armies come the Nazi locusts, charged with the task of collecting and carrying off for the use of the German war machine everything which seems desirable.

That stocks of such things as oil and important raw materials are taken goes without saying. But the plunder goes much farther than From factories and shops and

PITIFUL AND PITILESS

farms and private houses every

thing that seems worth taking is

Machinery is seized either for us or to be broken up as scrap Cloth ing, linen, boots and shoes metal household utensils everything is

noted, collected, carted away. The wretched owners are given in return promissory notes to pay r some (uture time ridiculously smal sums, reckoned in marks at a fract ulent rate of exchange

The principle on which the plunderers work is that the inhabitant are to be left only what "" absolutely need. And the German estimate of what any non-German needs is both pitiful and pitiless

" A lower race," Dr. Ley has laid t down, "needs less living space ess clothing, less food than a higher

"Higher race," in Nazi Jargon, means Germans. The "lower races".

to work his land. But the Nazi assessor will take the produce, and leave only what he chooses to regard as the family's need.

The factory worker, if the factory is regarded as useful and its machinery has not been removed. has to work at wages and under conditions fixed by Nazi taskmasters.

The peasant may, must, continue

The product of their work-other than the barest needs of the population—is taken for German use. And the rest? They can starve

or they can join the labour gangs.

WORK AS SERFS

posed. And the standard is lower than the standard (low enough) In In some cases and for the time being they may be put to work In Poland, where there are many repairing war damage. In some Germans, who lived there before they are put to work in their own the war or were sent as settlers countries to serve new preparations

since, there are two sets of ration of the German war machine. But often they are carted off to cards-red for Germans, green for Germany, away from their homes A green card gets little more than and families, to work there as seris. half the amount per coupon that a

This is no highly coloured picture

of what is happening over half But the Nazi troops and the Nazi Europe to-day. It is based on cold police and the Nazi officials need objective reports of what is hapno coupons. They can buy what pening from Poland to Northern they will. And always they pay in France. There has never been anything In Denmark, for example, one like it in history. There have been

mark was worth one krone. Now horrors enough in war. There have been devastations and wild plundering raids of barbarous peoples. But never before has a state

eq upped with the resources and the organisation of a civilized people made war in this fashion. This is no war of conquest after

the manner of earlier conquerors. It is conquest turned into the ruthless plundering and enslavement of half the European continent.

It is clear enough what the Nazis hope to gain by this great organised pillage of half a dozen countries. They hope to make up for their

sold at the wretchedest knock-out own economic deficiencies and for And there is no relief. All public the effects of the blockade which and trade union funds have been still cuts them off from the world across the seas All relief for the able-bodied has

A GRIM TRAGEDY

They hope to be able to live on plunder long enough to avoid the collapse which is going to lose them

the war. It is a vain hope. Plunder cannot continue, for there is nothing left to plunder. Nor can slave labour adequately replace what they

destroy and consume. Everywhere the momentarily victorious Swastika flag flies, production of every kind has fallen, is

falling, and will go on falling. They are driving Europe to penury and starvation. But they themselves, however ruthless in their pillage, are moving to starvation

along with their victims. The grim tragedy is that they are bringing half Europe to collapse, so that they themselves may be buried in its ruins.

If Baby Cries In The Night—

IF a baby cries at night mothers seen the curtains are drawn.

Thus the magistrate, Sir Gervais Rentoul, at West London Police Court after hearing the case against Mrs. Rose Edith Bryant, of Atalantastreet, Fulham, who was avakened by the crying of her baby.

Switching on the lights she went to comfort the child when there was a loud banging on the door. "Put that light out," ordered a constable, who told her she would be summoned.

The constable told the Court Mrs. Bryant's house overlooked a cemetery. He saw a bright light when he was more than 150 yards away. "I had to climb over the wall into the cemetery to trace the light." he

Mrs. Bryant was fined £1.



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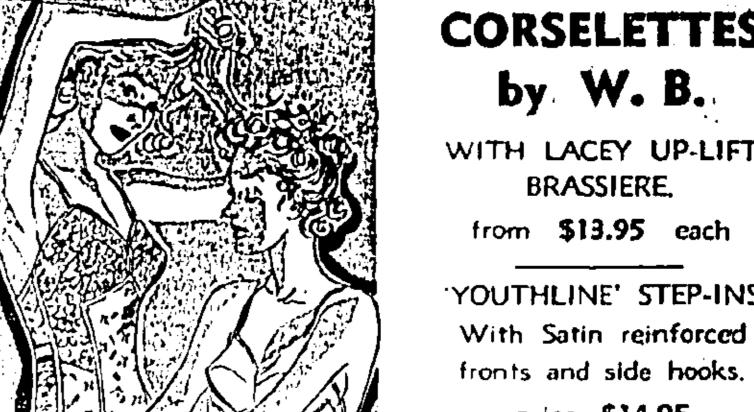
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### Ulysses 7 3. The Volunteer State? 4. A telega? 5. The Flume?

1. Elephant Butte Dam?

- 6. The Place Vendome? 7. Atlantic City?
- 8. Clinton's Ditch?

## 9. The Vosges Tunnel? 10. Alberta?

- (Answers)
- I. It is on the Rio Grande in New Mexico; built for irrigation in 1916, 306 feet high. 2. The island of Ithaca, one of the Ionian Group off the western coast
- ? Tennessee.
- 4. A rude four-wheeled wagon, without
- springs, used in Russia. 5. A deep granite cleft in the side of Mount Liberty, in Franconia Notch, New Hampshire.
- 6. A square in Paris. 7. The most popular senside resort in the United States is in New Jersey; about 15,000,000 visit it annually.
- a. The Eric Canal: so called because of the perseverance of DeWitt Clinton. who was largely responsible for its 9. A seven-mile single track tunnel from France to Alsace; it is of com-

mercial and military importance.

A province in western Canada.



# Unavoidable Damage To Greens



J. F. V. Ribeiro, who with L. J. Silva lost to H. A. Alves and F. V. V. Ribeiro in the Pairs semi-finals at the Kowloon B.G.C. last Sunday, is sending down a wood. His opposite, F. V. V. Ribeiro, is ready to deliver his wood.—Ming Yuen.

Aquatic Championships

## GRAND FINALE AT V.R.C. TO-NIGHT

Only One Record Likely To Be Bettered

(By "Tinker")

AND SO WE COME to the end of the Colony Swimming Championships.

To-night will be the finale to what has been a very successful annual meeting. Records may not have been shattered as wholesale as in 1935 when W. Lawrence skyrocketed to fame, but competition has been keen and spectators have been treated to races that have been as thrilling as wished for.

Finals and Finalists

The programme and finalists are:

MEN'S 100 YDS. FREE-STYLE

man D R Taylor and Fung Kwai-

WOMEN'S 100 YDS. FREE-STYLE

I Lopes, V Churn, Ho Wai-king.

MEN'S 100 YDS. BACK-STROKE

FANCY DIVING

Ed da Roza, L. Roza-Pereira, C

Ainslie, Ku Ka-kui, Wong King-woon

MEN'S 880 YDS. FREE-STYLE

Huang, Lau Tai-ping, Yau Sai-kwan,

MEN'S 200 YDS. FREE-STYLE

Chung Sing, H K University,

WOMEN'S 440 YDS. FREE-STYLE

V. Churn, Lee Po-luen, C. Guter-

res. In Tsol-man, Cheung Pul-chun,

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is established it will not be a sur-

I doubt if Ng Nin will take part

in the 800 yard final, for immedi-

ately afterwards comes the 200

yards free-style relay, and his pre-

sense and efforts will mean much

A new event will be the women's

440 yards. A young swimmer that

has impressed in training is Miss C.

Guterres, and I would not be alone

were I to express the opinion that

she should be among the first three.

will be as interesting as that for the

great challenge to Miss Churn,

along—if they need any pushing, though I think the judges would pre-

least into a respectable margin

fer something to slow them down, at

to Chung Sing.

- RELAY

Chan Chun-nam, Ng Nin, Charles

-- Lopes, W. Lawrence,

Lam Gar-kong.

Ng Nin, A K Rumjahn, Tony

Ng No. D. Hotchinson, Ng Tsun-

broken and one equalled. These are the 100 yards breast-stroke the 440 and the 880 yards freestyle and the 50 yards free-style But there is yet the 880 final this evening, and Chan Chunnam may improve on his heats record, though I doubt it.

There remains, then, only one re-J. Anderson, D. Weir cord that is threatened, and that is the 100 free-style, and if a new time



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# Local Grounds Being Put to Full Use

## OPEN PAIRS FINAL TO-MORROW

IT IS TO BE EXPECTED that greens would suffer from wear and tear as a season progresses, particularly when, as in Hongkong, playing members of the various Clubs are increasing in numbers each year, but, I would say, there is none more affected than that at the Club de Recreio where bowls has been adopted with the avid enthusiasm that is one of the characteristics of the young sportsmen of this Club for any game.

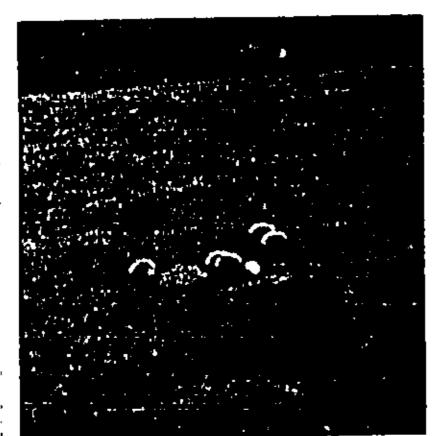
While not pointing particularly to Recreio in respect of the point I am about to mention, it was on that ground last Tuesday that inequalities or the green around the spot where a full head lay had effect on several shots, and, consequently, luck entered into a match that was otherwise one of skill. That was the U. M. Omar-J. McKelvie match.

It is very unfortunate in bowls that the spot where lies the jack for a full head is also the spot where players (from that end) either place the mat or place their feet in the delivery of their

It is not unnatural, therefore, that this spot should wear away and even take on slight indentation, and no amount of care can avoid it, especially in Hongkong where only rain and darkness stop people

We all know the rules and putting the mat within the limit distance from the ditch sie one yard swould mean that the feet are placed on and around the full head spot Putting the mat further away from the ditch would mean that in time the shorter heads would suffer.

It cannot be avoided-but it is a



The above peture shows the Jack on a bare patch. It was taken at Recreto, and the two woods that nestle on the Jack are those which turned at right-angles as they slowed down jack high, and dropped into the slight hollow.

WHEN A. M. Omar and U. M. Omar won the pairs title in 1937, they and their opponents, J. A. da Luz and R. F. da Luz. gave one of the best exhibitions ever seen in the competition. But that was three years ago, and though U.M. has lost little of his skill—he is still the most consistent bowler in the Colony to-day-there are many who consider A. M. a better player than he is now.

The Omars' opponents in the final to-morrow will be H. A. Alves and F. V. V. Ribeiro, last year's champlons and if the form shown by these pairs in the semi-finals is anything to go by, then it would appear that the Portuguese pair have the advantage over the Indians in that Alves and Ribeiro are as a combination, more consistent than the Omar brothers, who will have to rely to a great extent on the brilliance of U. M.

If the younger Omar can hold "Dick" Alves on the majority of the heads, then the Indians' prospects are indeed rosy; but if he falls to do that, even the matchwinning potentialities of U. M. may not be sufficient to turn the scales. Since its inception in 1934, no pair have won the pairs title more than

The women's 100 yards free-style WITH the championship of the Third Division won by the Prison Officers' Club last week. though I favour the latter to pull it in spite of their defeat by the Indians at Sookunpoo, and that The men's 100 yard may well be of the First Division virtually won by the Club de Recreio "A", another nightmare for the judges. won by the Club de Recreio "A", Hutchinson and Ng Nin are reported there is little interest left in the to have both timed around 55 seconds in training, and there are Ng Tsun-man and D. H. Taylor to push them

The championship of the Second Division has not yet been decided. of course, but the Kowloon B.G.C. have placed themselves, in such a strong position that they have to lose their two remaining fixtures before they can be displaced, even assuming Lady MacGregor, wife of Sir that their nearest rivals, Talkoo R.C., Atholl, President of the V. R. C., will win their last match, present the prizes at the conclusion

of the races, following which ceremony, there will be dencing to music many, there will be dencing to music has made good progress durchild last week."

## To-Day's Programme

FIRST DIVISION

v. Craigengower v. Civil Service v. Kowloon B.G.

SECOND DIVISION

v. Hongkong C.C. v. Civil Service v. Kowloon F.C. Kowloon C.C.

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## ONE OF THE JOYS OF BOWLS

One of the reasons why bowls is a pleasant game to watch! W. Houston, W. Hyde, R. Morrison, J. Fraser, W. I. Walker (nearest camera) and E. Curits enjoying the U.M. Omar-J. McKelvie Singles match at the Club de Recreto on Tuesday....Staff Photo-



## French Impose Ban On Professionalism

The French ban on professionalism in sport falls into line with German procedure in Austria, which is significant.

# **EDITOR**

Appeal To Referees

Sir,-Muy I be permitted, through your paper, to appeal to all Football Referee's in this Colony, to become members of the H.K. Football Referce's Assn. in the interests of the course, the thousands of humble game. Only by all Referees uniting, stable boys. and becoming members of this Assn. will a uniform control of the game ve attained.

In 1935 the F.A. published a Mem- card? orandum and revised it in August 1936 for the Guidance of Referees and Linesmen. Para. 9 of that memo is as follows:---

"Referees Societies. Referees should form themselves into National or Local Associations for mutual help, and every Referee should join an Association. Classes should be held and lectures and talks given on points of interest in the control and conduct of the game. Mental Fitness is just as important as Physical Fitness and attendance at meetings will be very helpful in giving a Referee confidence and courage.

Classes and lectures help a Referce to Study carefully, and to learn and act quickly. He is bound to glean something, happy or otherwise, of the experiences of his colleagues that will help him to arrive at a right and sensible interpretation of any problems put forward for solution.

The next monthly meeting of the above Assn will be held on Tuesday Club v. Engineers (Club ground, a next 1st October 1940 at the Hotel 3.15 p.m.). Cecil at 8 p.m. The Speaker will be Mr. Glover, the well known R.N. & at 4.45 p.m.). R.M. Association Referee, and it is loped that all members will attend. at 3.15 p.m.). At present there are only a few Referees who do not belong to the Association, and the committee and 4.45 p.m.). the Chairman will be very pleased to welcome them at this or any future

HUGH. A. BEARD, Chairman, H.K.F.B.A. at 4.45 p.m.).

ing the past fortnight, and if everything goes well the third round will have been completed by next Friday. So far no real at 2.15 p.m.), Police (Club ground, upset has marked the event. 4.45 p.m.). which, unlike former years, has at 4.45 p.m.). been comparatively tame.

Regret will be felt that A. R. at 2.15 p.m.), Dallah, who all but won the title last A.S.A. v. 12th R.A. (Chatham Rd., at year, scratched from the competition, 7th R.A. v. Medicals (Sookunpoo, at following the death of his youngest 3.15 p.m.).

Very quickly the Germans wiped out professional football in Vienna and whitewashed into amateurs its many paid stars. What will happen in France there are no means of knowing, but if only the whole-time professional is banned there will be a considerable upheaval in the country's sport.

There's racing, for instance, with its 250 professional jockeys and, of

Will these people be rescued by the public utility clause of the old France, or does that also go into dis-

Kowloon Depot,

## **WEEK-END** FOOTBALL FIXTURES

The following are the fixtures for the football league this week-end: TO-DAY

First Division Navy v. Middlesex (Navy ground, at South China v Kowloon (Carolino Hill, at 4.45 p.m.). Club v. St. Joseph's (Club ground. at 4.45 p.m.).

Becond Division

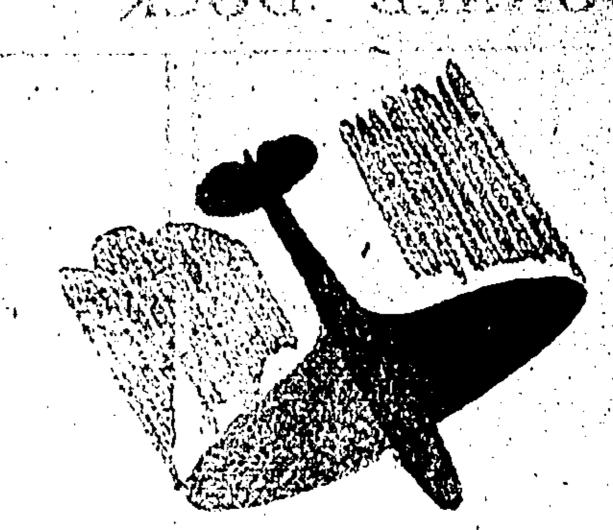
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TO-MORROW

First Division Kwong Wah v. Bing Tao (Boundary St., Eastern v. Royal Scots (Caroline Hill, at 4.45 p.m.) Becond Division

Kwong Wah v. Sing Tao (Boundary St., at 3.15 p.m.).
Ordnance v. Royal Scots (Caroline Hill. Betvice Corps v. 30th R.A. (Sookunpoo,

Third Division 26th R.A. y. 20th R.A. (Club ground,



# Give e m Hell!

(Mac)

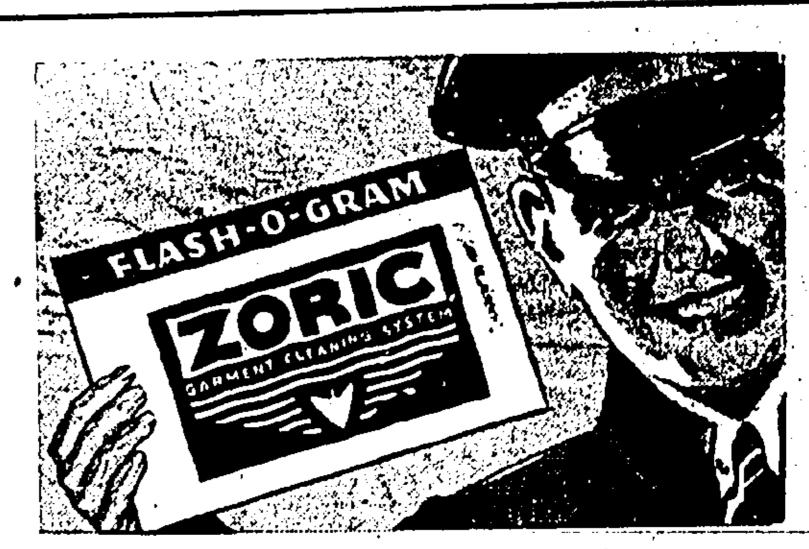
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## THE GODS OF CHINA-No.

This is the first of a series of articles describing some of the many gods of China. These articles will be continued every Saturday.

FUK is the Chinese god of happiness. In about A.D. 500 the Emperor Wu Te was fond of having dwarfs as servants in his palace. The number taken from one district in Hunan was at one time so great that it completely upset family relationships. The Criminal Judge, giving judgment in a case, laid it down that dwarfs were not slaves but subjects of the Emperor. Overjoyed at their release from innumerable hardships the people of the district set up images of Yang, the judge, and in this simple way the God of Happiness came into being (right).

LUK is the god of wealth. As a holy man he performed many wonderful feats. He could ride a black

tiger or hurl pearls which burst like bombshells. He was eventually killed by witchcraft. His enemy made an image of him into which he shot arrows. Luk, who was many miles away at the time, felt ill, fainted and died. He is now a much adored deity and is often represented in the guise of a visitor accompanied by a crowd of attendants laden with all the treasures men could desire (left).

SHOU or SAU is the god of longevity. He was first a star called the star of longevity. When the star appears China enjoys peace; when it disappears there is war. The present deity is a domestic god of happy mein with a very high forehead. Sometimes he is called "Longevity Star Bald Head." He is often seen with a stag and in paintings with a bat flying round his head. The stag and bat both indicate happiness. The peach, gourd and scroll are symbols of long life (centre).

## Cost Of Evacuation

Half Million Dollars For Manila Phase

Manila, Sept. 27. children in July and August was early correction in your newspaper P250,000 (H.K.\$560,000), stated Neither I nor my car have been authoritative circles to-day. This profeed in any crash either on the sum, which was expended by the evening referred to or at any other in force but again they were Red Cross, was for housing, hospital fees, equipment, transport embarkation, disembarkation, and fees for 17 nurses.

The number of evacuees was 3,420-an average cost of P70 (H.K.\$160) per person.

Under an agreement made before the evacuation began, the British authorities, believed to be the Hongkong Government, agreed to bear the full expenses, but the Washington Red Cross subscribed P50,000 from September 13,, and the followand administration expenses.

Imbursed the Red Cross with P175,- Snow.

be collected through the British Ordinance, 1933 His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government Consul-General at Washington. A group of 50 sick evacuees left A group of 50 sick evacuees left runt Officer William Whiting as a for Australia last week and the member of the Hongkong Naval final group of 12 is scheduled to volunteer Force leave in the coming week.-United

## Restoring Air Raid Damage

Press.

LONDON, Sept. 27 (Reuter).-Two after of the status quo new commissioners were appointed in London to-night to minimise suffering and dislocation due to air raids. The Ministry of Health has appointed Mr. Henry Willink to supervise arrangements for the care and

less in the London region. appointed Sir Warren Fisher as Spe- ment on Japan's alliance with the pesos, shall offer it, or cause it to be cial Commissioner to co-ordinate the Axis. work of restoring roads and public

re-housing of people rendered home-

utilitles services. Commenting on the latter appoint- States, substantially after the situament, Sir John Anderson, the Home; tion which has existed for several obligation to offer for sale United Secretary, said the authorities re- years. The announcement of the States dollars, Canadian dollars and sponsible have done wonders but a alliance merely makes clear to all the such other currenctes as have already separate organisation is required relationship which has long existed which will function independently of in effect and to which this govern- (Finance) Regulations. other parts of the London Region ment has repeatedly called attention. Organisation.

Owners and occupiers of tenements policies." are notified that under the provisions of the Rating Ordinance No. 6 of 1901, rates for the fourth quarter, 1940, are payable in advance on or before October 31, 1940, states the Government "Gazette" issued to-day. If any person fails to pay the rates

ings will be taken in the Supreme to-day, with gilt-edged holdings con- sidents. Court for their recovery without fur- tinuing their recent advance. ther notice.

No refund of rates in respect of owing to the imminence of the week- distinction of also being elected captain vacant tenements will be granted un- end. less such rates have been paid dur- 'After mid-day, the announcement Secretary and Treasurer respectively ing and within the month of October, of the German-Italian-Japanese are Messrs, R. A. Bates and E. V. Reed 1940, nor unless application is made agreement caused operators to take while Messrs. B. I. Bickford, N. B. M. for such refund within 15 days from up a cautious attitude pending an Whitley and S. A. Fowler will comthe expiration of the quarter.

In order to ensure correct service importance. in future, owners and occupiers of The result was a minor reaction in Matches will be held on Tuesdays tenements are requested to fill in gilt-edged stocks, with sharp falls in particulars of their permanent Japanese stocks.

The result was a minor reaction in and Fridays in contrast to Mondays. Sellers:

Wednesdays and Fridays last year, and the first full practice game will be held \$7.10: Telephones (ofd)\$24.50. Coaddresses on the space provided for this purpose on the reverse side of

all-time appointments:

Thomas Stephens Maher has been Already Government are working "The offsir at Oran caused much re-assigned from the Combatant out a policy of war aims and post- anti-British feeling in unoccupied. Group to the General Group for war plans and the compaign is in France. This ought to wash out all

Correction

To the Editor. The "Hongkong Telegraph." Sir,-With reference to the paragraph on page Two, column Five, of the Final Edition of your paper The cost of accommodating the "Army Officer's Escape," I should be "Reports hitherto receive

> he Police have got the name wrong treaching the London aren. G F HARRISON.

## QUITTING H.K. DEFENCES

Permission has been given Albert infth daylight raid to-day, v:6lent Bailey Didsbury to quit the Hongkong Defence Reserve, with effect and also underwrote the servicing ing with effect from September 19, formation towards the south-west A. V. Havers, F. J. Hunt, C. R. Judah, The British authorities have re- E. F. Nuttail, L. G. Ramage, H. M. that British fighters attacked the

000 (H.K.\$380,000) and still owe I in exercise of the powers conferred P25,000 (H.K.\$56,000), which will by section 8 of the Naval Volunteer dispenses with the services of Wur-

## ' AXIS-JAPANESE

FROM PAGE ONE

situation in insisting on the mainten-The pact however, serves to emphasise to the Americas that the European strugglo is not an isolated

factor but part of world-wide aggressive action Hull's Statement WASHINGTON, Sept. 27 (Reuter) of Belgian Congo francs, Portuguese

of the Government of the United or on behalf of the Governor. That such an agreement has been

in the process of conclusion has been well-known for some time and that Rict has been fully taken into account by the Government of the United Property Owners Warned States in determining the country's

## STOCK EXCHANGE

GILT EDGED HOLDINGS RETAIN ADVANCE

Trading was comparatively light

assessment of the agreement's real prise members of the Committee.

## this purpose on the fourth quarter, Publicity Campaign To Define War Aims

LONDON: Sept. 27 (Reuter) .- The TOKYO, Sept. 27 (Reuter).—The Ministry of Information is shortly ablnet has announced the following initiating an empire publicity campaign in Britain with the aim of Minister of Railways.—Mr. Gohtaro bringing home to the people that the war is not h fight between Britain Minister of Overseas Affairs.—Mr. and northern Europe but something General de Gaulle's withdrawal from of vital concern to the Empire as a Dakar because he did not want to

there is nothing new about the so-cording to French opinion in Eng-called "new order" which Hitler land, says the "Evening Standard." claims to be founding, whereas the "It is, of course, a moral reverse land three and a half hours. British Commonwealth, based on for us," declared a French businessandhi is remaining in Simia over- goodwill and free association, is new man, but on the other hand it may and vital and something which does have a very good effect on public

## DISASTROUS DAY FOR NAZIS

## FROM PAGE ONE

coast and reached the outskirts of Bristol. They were heavily engaged evacuated Hongkong women and glad if you would kindly publish an that damage and casualties were not "Reports hitherto received indicate

> "Later in the afternoon, enemy aircraft crossed the south-east coast intercepted at a number of points and I must conclude that either you or only a few of them succeeded in

"Reports received up to 3.30 p.m. G.M.T. show that 98 enemy aircraft have been shot down by our fighters "Twenty-five of our fighters have been lost but ten pilots are safe."

## Smoke Guide to Fight

This afternoon, during London's anti-aircraft fire was audible over Central London and about a dozen German planes were seen flying in Plumes of smoke seemed to indicate

Collum Attacked CAIRO, Sept. 27 (Reuter). -Two ilds on enemy concentrations a Sollum yesterday were reported in to-night's RAF communique In one aerodrome direct hits were scored on three aircraft and a fourth was probably severely damaged. The second ruld was on a comp but here it was not possible to observe the extent of the damage. Operating from Sudan RAD

Dombers saided Asset From these operations off our arr a off setteral safely

## H.K. CURRENCY REGULATIONS

FROM PAGE ONE

-Mr. Cordell Hull at the Press con- escudos. Newfoundland dollars, The Ministry of Home Security has ference to-day made a formal state- Panamanian dollars, and Philippine offered for sale to the Government at "The alliance does not, in the view such price as may be determined by

This obligation is in addition to the been specified under the Defence

British subjects having a title to such currencles, whether such title is situated in the Colony or elsewhere, should notify the Assistant Financial Secretary (Exchange) within twentyone days of the date of this notice.

## H.K. HOCKEY At the annual meeting of the

Hongkong Hockey Club held recently. Mr. A. A. Dand was elected President LONDON, Sept. 27 (Reuter).-The and Messrs, E. J. R. Mitchell, G. E. R. on or before November 30, proceed- Stock Exchange opened quietly firm Divett and W. A. Reed Vice-Pre-V. M. Benwell, captain of the

Y.M.C.A. first eleven, had the unique of the Club's first eleven, while Mr. PRACTICES

the first full practice game will be held on Tuesday, at 5 p.m. Dembers intending to be present are requested to bring one white shirt and one coloured shirt.

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# Raised By Dakar

Despite Moral Reverse shed French blood will increase sup-The idea behind the scheme is that port of him in unoccupied France, ac-

HONGKONG TELEGRAPH

Major Baseball

Detroit Tigers Beat Cleveland Indians

NEW YORK, Sept. 27 (UP).-Detroit Tigers won the first of the three-game series between them and the Cleveland Indians that will decide the winners of the American League.

Indians were white-washed, while the Tigers scored two runs. Complete scores were:

AMERICAN LEAGUE Detroit Battery: Glebell, Sullivan. New York Battery: Russo, Murphy, Dickey, kas Evans

NATIONAL LEAGUE Plttaburgh ..... 4 10 Battery: Swigart, Sewell, Davis. Buttery; Derringer, Beggs, L. Moore, (Ten linnings were played) Philadelphia Battery: Mulcahy, Warren. Battery: Hubbell, Lynn, Danning, 

## "Telegraph" Excellent 50 Yards Dash By N. Hammond Editor **Farewelled**

St. Louis

Mr. N. Stockton Leaving Colony

A pleasant function took place is the editorial offices of the South China Morning Post yesterday, when there colleagues.

Mr. Norman Stockton, who has been Editor of the Hongkong Telewas formerly connected with the S. C. M. Post, was presented with a camera in leather case, with a suitably inscribed silver plate attached, while Mr. Albert Quark, who for three years has worked as a reporter for the paper, received a eigarette case and fountain pen. Messrs. Stockton and Quark are both leaving shortly for Australia.

of the editorial staffs, Mr. B. Wylle, yards breast-stroke, M.F.L. Haymes papers, and wished them the best of touch. luck in the future. Mr. Stockton, he Results were sald, had been nine years with the | Dodwells, 1,26; 3, Butterfields; 4, Bank; Company He had also proved him- b. A.P.C. self a journalist, and had been noted. Women's 50 yards.-1, B Longbottom for his enterprise and newsgathering (Jardines); 2, J. Booker (Bank); 3, D. homeland, would fit him for whatever occupation he proposed to take up on his return there.

Mr Stockton was earlier in the AP.C week the guest at dinner of a number of Hongkong correspondents for world-famous newspapers and agencies. He himself has represented two of London's leading dailies in Hong- C Blechynden (A.P.C.); 4, Butterfields;

## STOCK MARKET REPORT

Hongkong Stock Exchange Officia

Summary issued yesterday says: An improved turnover was recorded during the week. Strong enquiries wells occurred for Providents and Ropes 50 yards,—1, N. G. Hammond (Jardines); resulting in business at advanced (Butterfields); 4, F. M. Thompson (Bank); prices. Though the market was 5, J. L. lisley (A.P.C.). quieter in other stocks, transactions were well spread and at rates more or less unchanged from previous

The notable feature was the lack of sizeable offerings at current levels. Business Done During the Week. Union Ins. \$405 Providents \$4.40, \$4.45, \$4.55, \$4\frac{1}{2} Lands \$311/4, \$31.40 Trams \$15.90, \$16, \$15.95 Star Ferrics \$60 China Lights (oid) \$7.05 -Electrics (new) \$381/4, \$381/2 ... Telephone (old) \$241/4, \$241/2 Cements \$16 Ropes \$5%, \$5%, \$6, \$6.10 Dairy Farms \$18% Dairy Forms X.D. \$181/4 Watsons \$8.95 H.K. Govt. 4% Lean 99

(old) \$39; Ropes \$8.20.

## Extra Accommodation At V.R.C.

In connection with the Swimming Championships at the V.R.C. this evening at 9 p.m., it has been announced that extra accommodation has been provided for spectators.

Inter-Hong Aquatics

## Jardine's Secure First Place

JARDINE'S, with a total of 40 points, took first place in the inter-Hong swimming gala held last night at the European Y.M.C.A. One of the outstanding features of the meet which was greatly appreciated by the very full house was an excellent effort by Nocl Hammond (Jardine's) over 50 yards in the mixed medley relay He timed 25 seconds, which compares most favourably with the times returned in the Colony championships on Thursday.

Hammond, however, is the former was a dual presentation to departing Shanghai champion for that distance. There was no doubting the success of the meeting. All tickets had been sold out long before the day of the graph for the past two years, and gala arrived, and it is intimated that n second such meeting may be held in the near future,

> Hammond showed that he has lost none of his old ability, and in view of his times last night it is surprising that he dld not enter for the Colony championships, Dodwell's took second place with

29 points, while Butterfield's and the Hongkong Bank shared third with 25 points each. Making the presentations on behalf | A great race was seen in the 50

General Manager, referred to the (Bank) after a fine duel down the excellent work the recipients had home straight with P. B. Wilson performed for the associated news- (Dodwell's) took first place by a

Eardley (Butterfields); 4, D. Dodwall bilities Mr Wylie hoped that his (Dodwells); 5, E, Stirling (A.P.C.) 2, Dodwells, 67; J. Bank: 4, Butterfields:

Diving.—1, P. Wilson (Dodwells), 2, N. D. Booker (Jardines); 3, J. A. Stewart (Butterfields), 4, D. G. Day (Bank), 8, Aquatic Geometrics.—1. APC, 2, But-terfields; 3, Dodwells Water-polo .- Y.M.C A beat Combined Long Plunge,—1, M. F L Haymes (Bank); 2, Pecarini (Dodwells), 3, L, de

5. D. O. Parsons (Jardines), 25 yards Veterans,—1. C F. Hyde (Bank); 2, A. Hyde-Lny (Dodwells); 3, D. L. Newbigging (Jurdines); 4, G Campbell (Butterfields); 5, S, Crawford (A.P.C.). 50 yards breast-stroke,-1, M. F. L. Haymes (Bank); 2, P. B. Wilson (Dodwells); 3, T. Gaubert (Jardines); 4, R. G. Castleton (Bulterfields); 5 Simpson Night Shirt and Candle Race,-1, T. Gaubert (Jardines): 2. A. M. Kennedy

(Bank); 3, N. Spence (A.P.C.). 100 yards mixed relay,--1, Butterfields; 2, Jardines; 3, A.P.C.; 4, Bank; 5, Dod-

## **ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS** LATEST DONATIONS TO THE WAR FUND

A total of \$1,349,089.00 was reached yesterday by the War Fund inaugurated by the South China Morning Post, Ltd. The latest donations are:

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It will be recalled that Mr. and Mrs.

H. H. Tseng (nee Miss Irene Ho-Tung) decided to devote their wedding presents to charitable institutions in which both 7.10; Telephones (old)\$24.50; Cenents \$16; Dalry Forms \$18.25.
It is understood that the gifts will be
utilised by the Camp Authorities on the
purchase of much needed benches and
derks for the school used by the Po
Leung Kuk children in King's Park

# AGAINST AXIS IN BALKANS

noticeable recently. Manifestoes printed under the a base of German imperialism."

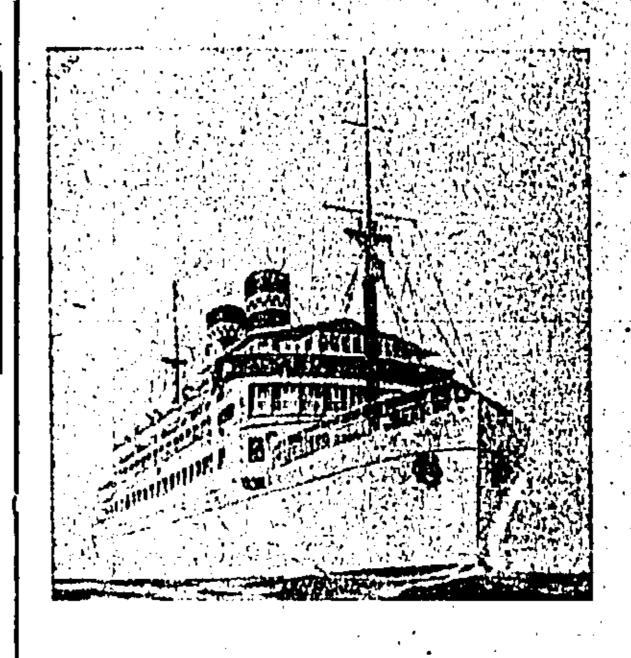
Bulgaria utters a warning against channels while officially maintaining increasing numbers of so-called cordial relations with Germany and German'"tourists" in Bulgaria who, avoiding for the time being any It declares, may be Fifth columnist possible incident.

ISTANBUL, Sept. 27 (Reuter) .- A marked change in Communist propaganda circulating in the Balkans has become [14] preparing to "turn our country, intoinspiration of Moscow, which former- Well-informed observers consider ly were largely anti-British, have that Russin's recent actions in the now assumed an exclusively ahtia Balkons indicate that her present policy is to undermine Axis influence One such manifesto circulating in in every possible way by underground

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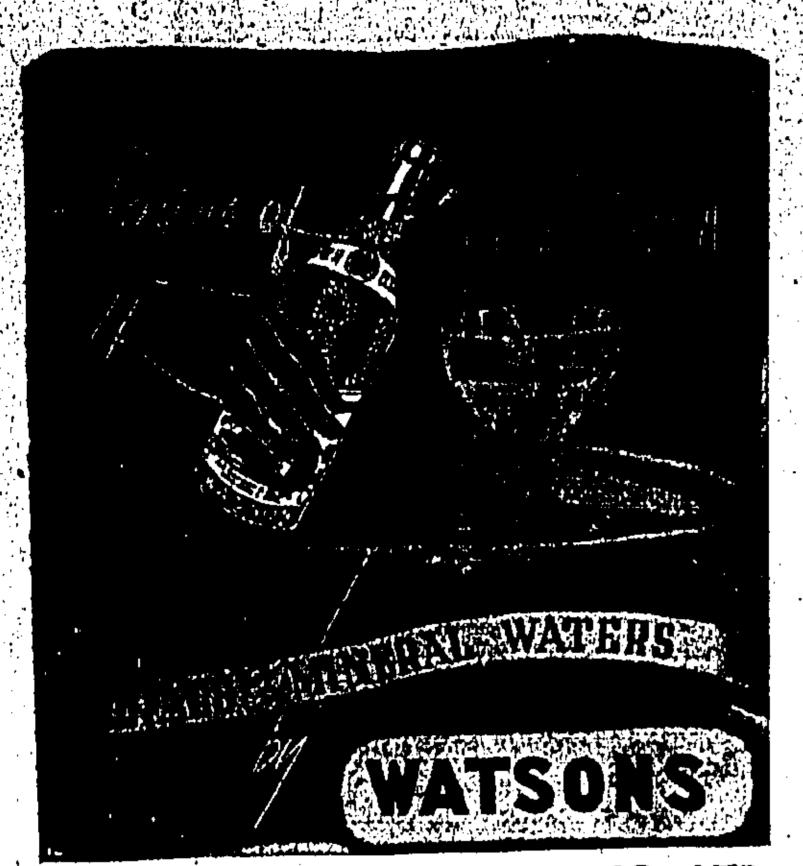


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## Armoured Infantryman

Report that the British War Inventions Committee is "seriously considering" the possible use of armour of some sort for the protection of individual soldiers looks back in unsuccessful efforts that way, except as to the modern helmet twenty odd years ago. It reminds historic ally of the time when bullets took the place of arrows, and the feudal system, which one may think of as a miscellany of totalitarian governments whose dictators warred with each other almost as a sport, found itself weakened by loss of the immunity with which armoured men on armoured horses could ride down unarmoured men on

The armoured knight was in effect the medieval tank. He was not completely immune. The arbalist or crossbow hurled its bolt with such vigour that penetrated armour. But the arbalist had to be wound up. which took time, and was more effective in siege than battle. The later English long-bow, fast and powerful, really foreshadowed musketry in embarrassing a charge of knights.

England knew the value of the long-bow. It won Crecy, Poitiers, and Agincourt. There was at one time a law in England that every man, whatever his station, clergy and judges excepted, should own a longbow (which meant something longer than himself), keep i ready for use, and provide that his sons should begin practicing archery at the age of seven. | khaki England was long a nation of archers, to which condition Macaulay attributes a carefulness of the Tudors not to carry absolutism beyond the limit of public acquiescence.

An armoured knight on foot was almost as useless as a tank without gasoline. From his armoured horse he looked down figuratively as well as literally on the infantry of archers, crossbowmen, pikemen, and miscellaneously armed villeins. It is significant of the change that | Within two months they comthe present consideration o armour is for the benefit of infantrymen.



PETAIN: "Now, men-come aboard here and I'll save you yet!"

# The A.C.E.S of Spades

BY RITCHIE CALDER

A.C.E.s of Spades," of a unique army raised in five weeks off civil engineering lobs and the roads of Britain, of workmen-in-khaki who covered

themselves with glory. The A.C.E.s - Air Component Engineers—were raised so rapidly that not only was it difficult to accommodate them, but it was possible to provide companies for other parts of the Army, in addition to the Air Force Component for which

they were originally intended. The story begins with the demand of the Royal Air Force with the Field Army for engineers to construct acrodromes urgently in France, under the direction of the engineer-in-chief of the B.E.F.

## Trade unions help

In peacetime the chief engineer of this R.A.F. force was a distinguished engineer and Territorial officer. Now, in addition to his Army duties, he is one of Mr. Ernest Bevin's "Big Four"-the Labour Supply Board.

And he tackled the immense picked his 20, and provided them with order in a "civil" way. It was de- riflea cided that 16,000 men were required to form General Construction and Artisan Works Companies.

He started recruiting just before Christmas. Before the end January he had got his entire force. They were skilled and semi-skilled men. They were drawn from the civil engineering, building and gravel industries.

In addition to the ordinary recruiting channels, he appealed to trade unions and employers. The response was almost miracu-

lous. Big contractors raised their own companies. They asked their best men to volunteer. They pro- prevented the explosion. vided officers from their best civil engineers and non-commissioned officers from their foremen. In many cases directors volun-

teered to go with the companies. Bixteen companies were raised. Smaller firms raised sections and combined to form companies.

The Ministry of Transport also from its county organisations. In every case the companies were well-integrated teams, trained to covering the retreat of the Army.

work together and accustomed to the work which they were called on to do. They just changed into

## Raised 20,000 men

Altogether more than 70 companies were raised in this way-a total of 20,000 men-of which some · 30-odd companies were allocated to the Air Component which had the roads and construction works of originally asked for them.

Thousands of these men were in France within three weeks of enlisting. Where they had facilities they had rifle-training. Where the ranges were not readily available

they had not. In France they found the latest engineering equipment waiting for them on the biggest "contracting job "in which any of them had ever

pleted 19 acrodromes. They undertook the maintenance of scores of others, constructed buildings, pro- The A.C.E.s of Spades have turned up vided services for great camps, trumpe

HIS is the story of "The They worked night and day uncom-

Their motto was "Keep the planes in the air." If "Jerry "came over and bombed an aerodrome into shapeless craters they would have it back in condition and the planes taking off again within a few hours. To do this they worked under are The job went on with the raiders

Sappers "carry on'

One of the glorious episodes which will be writ large in the history of "The A.C.E.s of Spades" will be that of the hurled?

20 suppers who held a ridge. A major and 60 men had been detailed to "see the planes away" and destroy the drome. There were 15 planes and only five pilots. The pilots flew off with the first five and came back as passengers for the second batch,

The Germans were sweeping towards them It looked as though the pilots would not have time to get back for the

You carry on," said the major We'll noid them off." He called for 20 volunteers to hold the ridge and "pretend to be an army." He warned them that it was "at all costs." The whole 60 volunteered. He supper asked as he reported:

"Would you mind showing me, sir, how you fix the magazine?" He had never used a rifle, but he insisted on going up on the ridge, and, with his comrades, holding the Germans at bay until the last five planes were flown safely away and the acrodrome had been destroyed. Then there was the corporal who, in the retreat, saw two ammunition forries in flames outside a station in a crowded village on a vital road along which the

B.E.F. was retreating. He put under arrest two men in French uniform whom he had seen firing the lorries, reported the affair to his officers, and then quietly drove away the lorries and their deadly cargo. H

## Covered retreat

Another young supper was on guard at a petrol dump when an incendiary bomb landed inside the enclosure. He went in and coolly picked up the flaming bomb by its tail and flung it clear. Part of the force was in Belgium during the retreat. They fought their way "weighed in," recruiting companies back to Dunkirk. More than that, these workmen-in-khaki acted as a field force. handling infamiliar rifles but

One of their great achievements—for they could not bonst of being expermarksmen-was bringing down a German plane with a Lewis gun. They built road-blocks to impede the

enemy, and the last which was seen of

one major, director of a big contracting arm, was his going out with a handful of men to build a barricade to stop the onrushing tanks No job was too arduous and no exploit too dangerous for those men who, a few brief weeks before, had been working on

But they made the grandest-soldiers. While they were being bombed and machine-gunned on the sands outside Dunkirk, one company received an order

to move into the town. Like guardsmen on a parrack square they formed threes and behind a piper they marched briskly under fire. With the bombs dropping and bullets spattering, they gave the "Eyes left" to their commanding officer. It was their crowning moment.

They left many behind, but it is a comfort to think that this fine force is now available for the work required in this country.

## Fighting Hitler At Home

HUNDRED AND ONE hints for the civilian are contained in a threepenny booklet just issued by the Ministry of Home Security ("Air Raids: What You Must Know: What You Must Do."). Here are some of the questions and the answers:-

Q.How big a risk do I take by standing about in the street during an, air raid?

A.—Experience shows that standing in the street is twice as dangerous as lying in the street and 18 times as dangerous as staying in an Anderson

Q.—How far can a bomb splinter be

A .- It may kill people who are half a mile away from where the bomb explodes. Bomb splinters travel twice na fast as rifle bullets.

Q.—Is it safe to stay out of doors if no bomber is in sight?

A.-No. a bomber flying at great height and speed must release its bombs long before the target reached.

Q.—Why is it safer to lie down in the open than to stand up?

A.-Because when a bomb enters the ground before exploding the splinters are hurled upwards. Thus there is a zone of comparative safety near the ground.

Q.-Why is it better to have your refuge room facing the garden instead of the street?

A.—Because a bomb which bursts on soft soil usually does less damage than one which falls on a pavement or

Q.-How can I protect the roof timbers of my house against incen-

diary bombs? A.-By posting them with a fire resisting paint. You can make this paint at home. Here is the formula: 111b. of kaolin (china clay) to 11b. 2oz. of sodium silicate in syrup form, mixed in one pint of water.

This paint will not, of course, prevent fire, but it will prolong the resistance of woodwork to burning.

Q-Should I take my dog to the shelter or refuge room? A.—There is no reason why you should not. But you should muzzle it.

Q.—Can war gases be recognised by A.—Yes. Mustard gas smells like garlic, lewisite like geraniums, chiorine

like bleaching powder. A tear gas known as "B.B.C." ("very persistent") is officially described as. having a penetrating bitter - sweet smell" and of "producing tears and spasm of cyclids."

Q.—Is it safe to take off my gas mask when I hear the warden's handbell? A .- Yes. Unless gas has actually penetrated your house. If it has you should keep the mask on until the air has been cleansed.

Q.-What should I do with clothes which have been contaminated by gas? A.-Hang them in the open air for at least 24 hours, And do not uso them again until you are absolutely sure that they no longer smell of gas.

# Mr. PEPYS HONGKONG

19th Sept. - Last night at a very pleasant party given by Mr. King, the Captain of the City Watch. And there I doe meet many friends and there is much cheerful conversation, but Lord! to think that it was night 29 years ago when I did land in this Colony and was taken to the Water Police where Mr. King was living with Mr. : Alan Wood and Mr. R. Hutchison. And there I did take my first meal in this Colony with Mr. King and the others of whom, alasi, Mr. Hutchison is no more with us though I doe believe Mr. Wood to be n Censor at home. And when I doe think on it it seems but as yesterday. For in those days I did come in from Taipo to play Rugby football and did stop over Saturday night with Mr. King. So now he goes and night all of the friends of my younger days are. gone from mee, either dead or departed from the Colony. And again when I sat there in the party I did recall the words of the Preacher "Rejoice, oh! young men in the days of thy youth". But indeed I believe: that I dld so rejoice though that makes no casier memory in these darker days. Home to my lonely house and after a bite of supper, which Ariobarzanes doth share, I rend for a piece. And so to bed.

20th-Up betimes and at my office where I note that my son this day returns to Blundell's. And I trust that the Hun who has already dropped bombs in the town will do so no more. Sent an order from my banker for my through ticket in the sweepstake for 268. But this evening I did sell the half thereof for cush received to Major O'Trigger. And I am minded that hereafter 268 may run for someone else though I doubt not it will win incontinent.

21st.—Up very betimes, this being the first day that I have caught the eight o'clock tramme for some months. Busy ordering my papers in the office, and thence to Mr. Caldbeck's for a glass of Hollands Waters. There Mr. Raleigh and his lady doe call' for me and we take our nuncheon in the Clubbe box. So after a race or so to Craigengower where I bowle for the Krickett Clubbe. Upon our rink wee doe pretty well though are beaten by one shot. But our other rinks are not so expert and so wee doe lose the match. But of this I make nothing for I, and I believe the others, doe put down a wood but for the pleasure of it and not that we have any conceit of our own skill. Home early and so to bed.

22nd. (Lord's day).--Up pretty betimes, and walking about in my house where is much to be done and my garden. These things being ordered, to a long chair beneath the trees. And, for the first time that ever I knew it, my guests doe arrive punctually. First come Mistress Betty and her Lord, and thereafter Mistress Janet and her Lord. And so wee doe drink a glass or two of. Hollands Waters and eat of what my boy doth term "small'chow." Thereafter wee give the tooth-picks upon the grass to the big black ants. who draw them away. But what use of them they make I know not. Read in my garden after and Mr. Redde comes in to drink a possett with me. Dine upon a dish of eggs and so to

23rd.-Very busy all day at the office and after at the Clubbe. And so home. I am sadde to see that Ba is become an entire kitchen cat and loves not to stay with mee in the evenings.

24th.—Very busy all day at the office. This day I receive a letter from my wife via Durban. But it takes five weeks in coming here and I doe perceive that wee can hope for nothing better than this and even now, when there is so much trouble in Indo China, it may be one week or more longer.

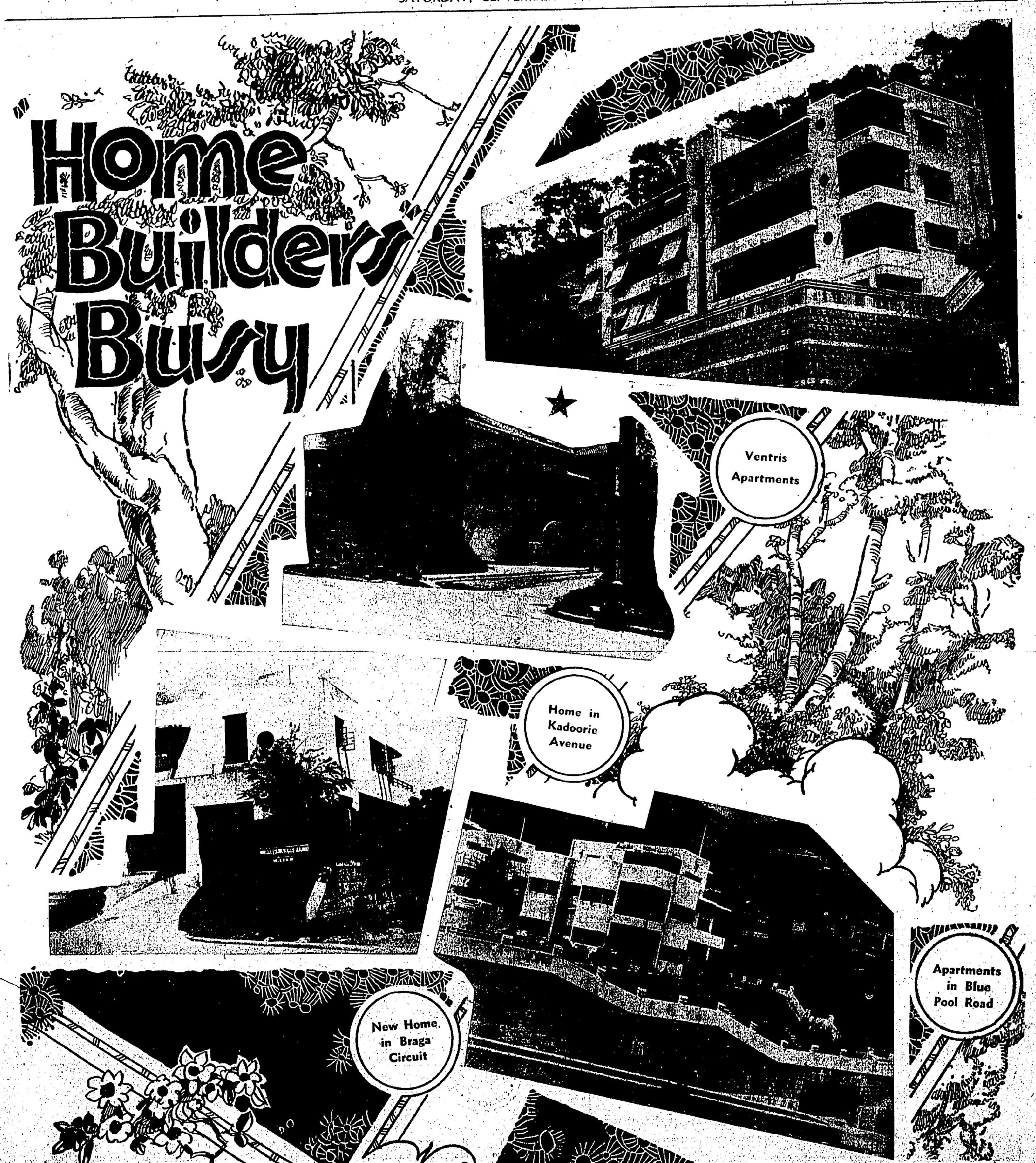
25th.--Up betimes but Lord! how I doe hate the dull routine of one's bath, trimming oneself and doing on one's garments! To office and took my nuncheon at the Clubbe." Worked late, and at a half after six did do on fresh garments and so to Kowloon to dine with Mistress Betty and her Lord. There come also Mr. Casey and his Lady. And after an excellent dinner in which was served a very fine garoupa, wee did go to the Alhambra Picture House where wee did see a flick which to my mind did begin with a white horse, and did finish with a cavalry charge. So I being somewhat afeared that I was in some measure foxed, did ask my host of the matter. But he tells mee I was right. At this I was much content; and did drink; a glass or two with them before I come back from that strange suburb of Kowloon.

20th.—This day my daughter returns to her school at Sherborne and I pray that the Huns will refrain from their bombing in this place. have no time to write more as this evening I must attend an important meeting over which I doe preside But Lord! how old it makes me feel

Second Section

Magazine Features

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 28, 1940.



## BOMBERS COME OVER MY HOUSE ALL DAY

Aimee Crowhurst, 16, lives at Folkestone, one of the most exposed cities in England, only 22 I always hope that ours are safe, not stay to look twice, as I was on and that I am not watching one the hills and had a good way to go of ours being shot down. occupied French Coast. In the following article, of ours being shot down. she describes the reaction of a typical English girl to air raids.

AND THEY FOUGHT WITH THE B.E.F.

B.E.F. in France who downed Jord Jellicoe's Son

In an earlier reference to aliens in chester education, got a first at Cam-

the Ploneers being armed, Colonel bridge, and has won races on the

Wedgwood (Soc. Newcastle-under- Cresda Run at St Monte

the siren goes off is where though it may be foolhardy. are the planes, and will I see the dog-fight?

ly hopeful of seeing a dog-fight. As we usually have more than one raid a day, I often get my wish in one of them. Unfortunately, we have more alarms than dog-fights.

Directly bombers are sighted over the land. I have a slightly different feeling than when I see only fighters. The sound of anti-aircraft guns, however, restores my confidence, and I look to see whether the puffs are

I know you should not In a fight, one wants more than one pair of eyes as things are usualty happening all around. I run up-

IT was revealed recently that

among the Ploneers with the

spades and took up rifles to fight

the Germans were 600 Austrian

The story was told in Parlia-

ment by the man who took the

responsibility for arming them.

tive M.P. for Cardiff South.

Colonel Arthur Evans, Conserva-

He said: "They were former officers and professional men. We were very

hard up for men at the time, and

how to use their arms, machine.

within two days they had learned

ready to meet any armoured columns.

On their return to England they were

Lyme), without mentioning names,

said; "I am told that an officer who

guns and anti-tank rifles, and were lirections

and German refugees.

disarmed."

My first thought when run down into the garden, hoping "Lord Haw-Haw".

one, but the sight of searchlights morning, and the sound of an engine shoot down plenty of 'planes, lighting the sky as they search for had awakened me. the raiders is magnificent.

schmitts flying about.

At one time they seem to be play- intercept, ing "Follow my Lender", as they This did not happen at once, and a day's work, and take them as such, chased each other round and round, a few minutes later I heard the It certainly breaks the monotony of The sound of the machine-guns whistle of what I thought as a bomb, a boring day, especially when you anywhere near the 'planes, nithough when you hear them it is a signal it, and it was not until they saw a All the same, I am still hoping to for taking cover.

In this raid, I saw at least states to get a better view and then three German machines fall to-downstates I have never seen people America, I would rather stay in

Is In Army

Officer of the Guards

only for the duration of the war

His ambitions he in stellestual i

Lord Jellicoe combines scholarship

Inaval tradition of his father

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Many people in other parts of A few days ago, a Messerschmitt England seem to think that the came over our house about 500 feet South East Coast is "no-more", and up, but it was not until I heard that that we have been bombed to bits, this plane had been shot down in Perhaps they have been listening to the sea, did I realise that I had been watching a "Jerry" running away

feeling any more.

One day we had a most spectacular a Heinkel 111—Daddy has a chart of raid in which over 100 'planes took German 'planes on which you can sight well-worth seeing. part. I could see from my window tell what they are. It was not very But when bombers are about I our fighters and the Nazi Messer- high and I was hoping any second keep under cover and especially for our fighters to come along and away from windows. We are finding

near to you is like thunder, and Neither my father not mother heard have five alarms in a few hours. column of black smoke appear that see a "Jerry" come down in the field they realised that "eggs" were being opposite my home. Until that hap-

said to me, "I heard the tinkle in all the big raids near here so of glass, and remarked. There for there have been many more goes my conservatory'". When "Jerry's" as compared with the he got up, he found all his win- number of our fighters, but always yards from where the bomb was in peace time I used to go to our dropped. I thought "what a Empire Air Day Displays each year He a now a fully-fledged office in h and I am quite sure from what I lucky escape!"

If Hitler is niming at frightening saw then, and now, that our air

People here are becoming really and sportsmanship. He had a Win- "blood-thirsty", for they are always wanting to see a fight, and a fewmore "Nasties" put down by our Priots, who are grand fellows, so fearless and daring.

provided them with arms and mit Roosevelt ski corps in Finland some of our Destroyers, and ships. Molotov Cocktails (roughly made His family have lived around While bombers were trying to hit the grenades] said they were the best Southampton Water for several ships, some of the Messerschmitts got coldiers of the lot because they date generations, and his grandfather was over the land and were engaged by our fighters.

This is not so, as only two bombs from our fighters. One thing I do not like, and that have dropped where I live, although is the sound of a bomber coming there are many air-fights. The In a way, I think air raids are ee the dog-light?

over at night. You cannot see it, "show" happened on a Saturday jolly good fun, and as long as
If I hear our planes I am fair- and the feeling that it may drop morning, and we had no warning jolly good fun, and as long as something suddenly is not a pleasant given. It was five o'clock in the our pilots return safely, and we

When I found it, I identified it as wonderful experience, and a

pens I shall not be satisfied. When they did, did they run If I had a chance of going to

run faster, and I certainly slid down England for now, and see what hap-Tthe banisters as quickly as I could, pens every day. I think it might be But within a minute, we were up-more dangerous crossing the Atlantic stairs again because we heard our than staying here fighters. Later, when I went to look. Once upon a time when the stren it the damage, I heard that Spitfires sounded you got a funny feeling in had brought the bomber down I your inside, but we have got so used the Lutherian Religion. also found a piece of the bomb as a to it now that I don't notice that

But he may remain in the Yeary us by these raids, he is not succeed- force can whack the Germans ing, and will not succeed. On one occasion during Term-time when we went down in the trenches at school (only because we had to) we passed the time by singing songs.

He was a volunteer for the Ker In another fight, bombers attacked



After the persecution of the posts or put Into Concentration. There are also pictures of Nazi Church and its members for Camps. some years Hitler has now de- Photographs are now put into vices though these young men cided to start a new form of pro-circulation showing undamaged were never, even in the their Churches in devastated areas in school days encouraged to attend paganda in appearing to support France. The captions are that Church. Hitler's troops had strict instruc- This new move on Hitler's part

Pictures are published of the tions to save the Church build- is, no doubt, to gain the con-State funds

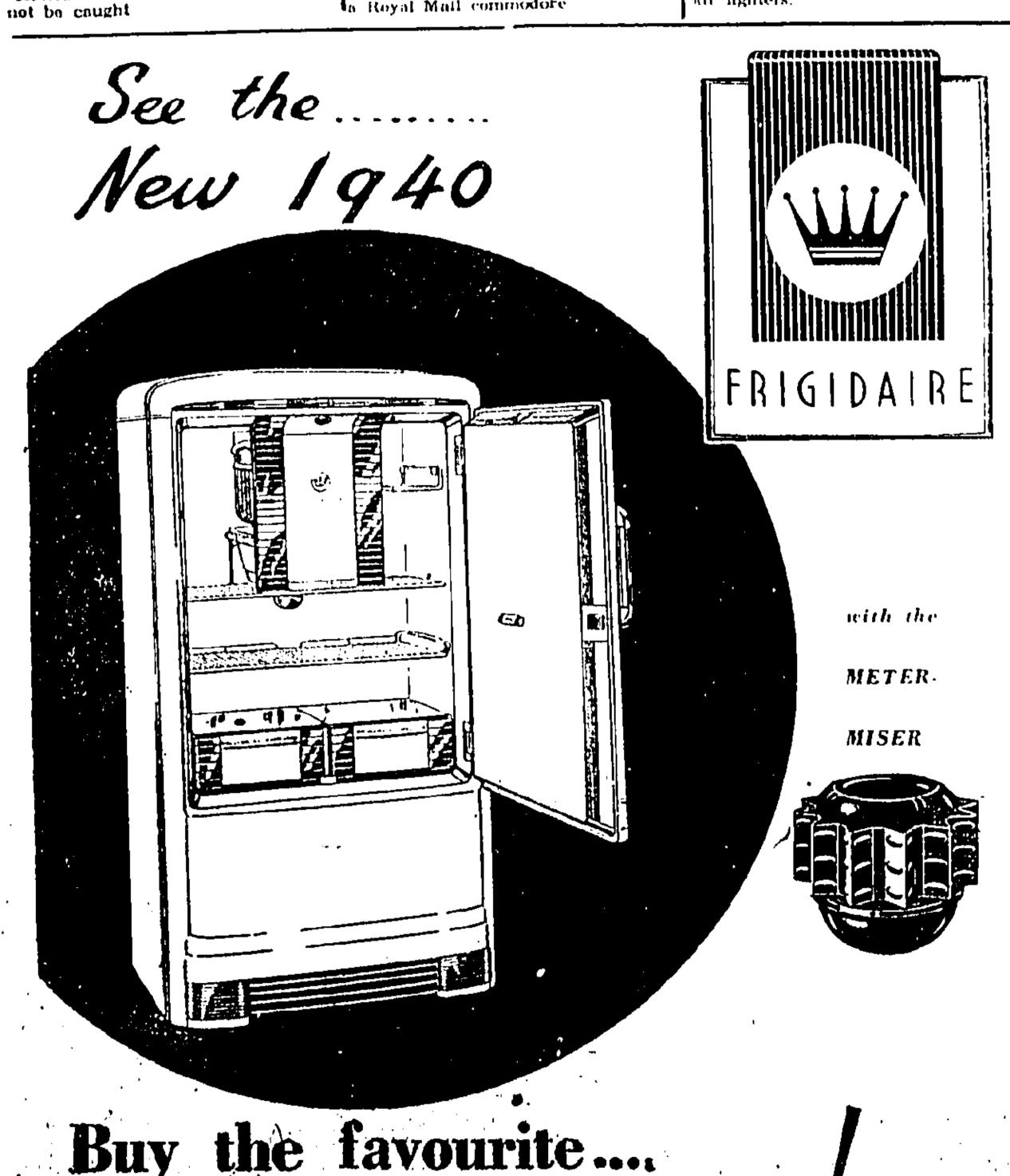
We see many R.A.F. planes near various new Churches which ings in the towns they bombed fidence of the older generation One person, who was in bed, is getting stronger day by day.

have been built in the last few. Other photographs show a in Germany, who, though sup-Saar district which is said to have inclinations. been bombed by French and Bri- But even the christening of a

troops attending religious ser-

One must not forget though tish troops in their "senseless child has a military air about it. LORD JELLICOE has described the down in. He lived 70 more German 'planes.

That the pastors have been well defence' of the town many trained and include the teaching. But one dose not form The Nazi soldiers, members of trained and include the teaching. But one does not forget the the Father's Company form a of the Nazi doctrine in their destruction of Warsaw and Hit- guard of honour outside the sermons. Those who did not ler's repeated remarks in the past Church, so that the child and its comply with these instructions that free religion was damaging mother may know that it has now joined the Nazi Party. were quickly removed from their to the State



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## Ernie Bushmiller





HONGKONG TELEGRAPH



**HOBBIES** AND **GAMES PUZZLES MOMENTS** 

OUR WEEKLY SATURDAY

# END WEEK

The name is JACK

GIVE me a word, beginning with the name JACK, to describe:- (1) a rod to which sails are fastened. (2) A silly, conceited fellow (3) A bird. (4) A young man learning colonial life. (5) A wild dog (6) Something you win. (7) Something you wenr.

In a flash . 1-Give a word of eight letters that contains only one

vowel. 2-Seven people say good-bye--shake hands with each other once. How many handshakes all told?

Concentration piece TAKE some unsuspecting person, say to him. "Open your mouth-keep it open. Now I'm going to say four words to you. When I've finished, close your mouth and repeat them. Ready?-BUBBLE, TODDLE, PUTTY, THUMP. ING." Nine people out of ten can't get beyond Bubble, Tutty, Puddle, etc. Why? Because an open mouth impedes powers of memorising.

## It Has Been Said of Success—

The road to success is not to be run upon by seven league boots. -- Charles Baxton.

Everybody finds out, sooner or later, that all success worth having is founded on Christian rules of conduct H. M. Field.

In most things success depends on knowing how long it takes to succeed, -- Montesquieu.

The eminently successful man should beware of the tendency of wealth to chill and isolate.--Otto II, Kahn

Character is the real foundation of all worthwhile success.—J. H. Hammond.

If a man can write a better book, preach a better sermon, or make a better mouse-trap than his neighbour, though he build his house in the woods, the world will make a beaten path to his door.—Emerson.

Success is full of promise until men get it, and then it often is as a last year's nest, from which the bird has flown. \_H. W. Beecher.

We can do anything we want to do if we stick to it long enough-Helen Keeler.

YOU THINK YOU KNOW BUT

# PHILIPIE'S IXLAMY

## ALPHABET PUZZLE

How many words beginning with the letter shown can be applied to this unusual collection of figures, objects, animals, etc.? A careful search should reveal more than 30. Check your results with the list appearing elsewhere on this page.

## Geographical Oddities

The wettest spot on the face of the earth is the windward (north-east) slope of Mount Waialeale (Hawaiian for "rippling water") on the Hawaiian island of Kauai. Here the average annual rainfall is 500 mehes-but the figures are seldom given out in terms of inches. They're more comprehensible in terms of feet or yards!

Compare Mount Wainleale, where it almost never stops raining, with Death Valley, in California, where it almost never really rains at all. In Death Valley the average annual rainfall is three tenths of an inch- and, sometimes, six or seven completely rainless years must be averaged into several "unusually rainy" years to get even this scanty average.

# Footnotes to History

1. What is an orphan car?

the is a.

2. Is this sentence, once it is unscrambled, true or false? crosse 17 lacrosse used called in racket

3. Which great dancer's nickname is Bojangles? 4. Who spends a large part of

his time at Berchtesgaden in Bavaria? 5. What type of person would eat

long pork? 6. From what continent does most

briar for pipes come? 7. Why do miners carry canaries

into the mines with them? 8. What type of sportsmen would be most unwilling to catch a

9. What is the name given to the fortifications incing the Maginot Line and on the opposite bank

of the Rhine? 10. Whose son was the Black Prince?

11. Who said, "Alas, poor Yorlck"? 12. Can a champion walker cover a mile more quickly than a champion swimmer?

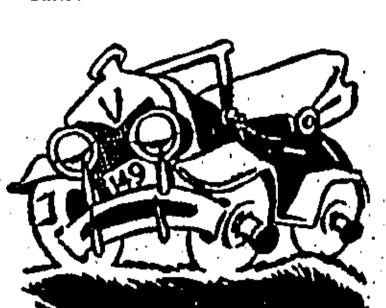
13. Who most frequently asserts that peace is wonderful?

14. Where is a prophet without honor?

15. Eleven boys are standing in a circle tossing a medicine ball around the ring. Starting with boy No. 1 the ball skips three boys each time, going to No. 5, No. 9, etc. How many rounds will the ball have made before it again is in the hands of No.

ARE YOU CERTAIN? 16. When the hour hand of my watch is at 81/2 minutes past 12.00 o'clock what time is it? A baker wants to cut a coffee cake measuring a yard around, so that each of his 11 children will receive a three-inch piece. How many cuts must he make? If his wife also wants an equal piece, how many cuts are neces-

> 16. A rectangular field 600 yds. by 800 yds. with 1,000 yd. diagonal, has a rock in the centre. Jim starts walking from one corner at 100 yards a minute, at the same instant that John starts



from the middle of the long side of the field at 60 yards a minute and Joe starts from the middle of the short side at 85 yards a minute. Who will arrive at the rock first? In what time? 19. Flo has a run in the outer side of her right stocking. She removes the stocking, turns it inside out and switches it to her left leg, hoping thus to bring the run along the inside where

it will be less noticeable. Has

she accomplished her purpose?

Captain Kidd Was Not a Pirate

Occasionally a man will be born into an age that has a task waiting for him, and the combination will make history. Usually it is the genesis of fame for the human factor in the equation. In one instance, however, these factors were combined to bring a universal notoriety to a man undeserving of it. This unfortunate victim of Dame Caprice was Captain

William Kidd. Kidd resided (about 1691), a prosperous and respected family man, in New York City. Born probably in Scotland, he had made his reputation as a sea-fighter against the French; then he married and settled in the New World.

At about this time it was decided by the Royal Government that piracy was becoming an anachronism in British civilisation. Kidd, then in London on business, was prevailed upon as a former privateer and habitue of pirate waters, to help eradicate the nuisance. He was given a valid Letter of Marque by Lord Somers, the then Lord Chancellor, and sent on his mission of extermination with full legal powers. This, of course, gave him the right to seize any ship navigating under the colours of enemies to the Crownincluding France, at that time.

Kidd therefore proceeded according to the terms of this elastic commission, and took as prizes several native trading vessels, sailing under French passes, off Madagascar. Complaints reached England from the English East India Company, and Kidd was recalled.

To justify his seizures, the mariner had merely to show the confiscated French passes. But unfortunately he had entrusted them to Lord Bellomont, then Governor of Massachusetts Colony. They were sent to England; but during Kidd's trial, they mysteriously vanished. Not possessing the proof of his innocence, he was promptly convicted and sent to the scaffold.

Thus, through the manoeuvrings of combined political and economic greed, the name of Captain Kidd comes down to us as a synonym for the most odious deeds of violence on the high seas.

## ANSWERS WEEK-END QUIZ

The name is Jack-1 Jackstay 2 Jackanapes, 3 Jackdaw 4 Jackaroo 5 Jackat 6 Jackpot 7, Jacket

Expressly for you.-- | The Albion Hotel, Brighton, 2, Iceland, the Faroes and the Shetlands. 3. Noel Coward -- America. 4 The chairman of Woolworth's ... Director-General of Equipment in the Ministry of Aircraft Production 5, "The Twilight of the Gods," by Wagner, at

Bayreuth. In a flash,-1. Strength, 2, 21,

## Alphabet Puzzle

Quack, quagga, quagmire, quail, quarry, quart, quarter, quartet, quartz, quatre, Quebec, queen, Queens, queue, quick, quiet, quills, quilt, quince, quintuplets, quire, quirt, Quito, quiver, quoin, quoits, quotation, auotient.

## YOU THINK YOU KNOW

1. A car which is no longer being

manufactured. 2. True.

3. Bill Robinson.

4. Hitler.

Long pork is 5. A cannibal. human flesh. (Macedonia and 6. Europe.

Greece.) 7. Canaries are sensitive to dangerous guses.

8. An oarsman. 9. The Siegfried line. 10. Edward I of England.

11. Hamlet.

12. Yes. Approximately three times as quickly.

13. Father Divine. 14. In his own country.

15. Four rounds.

16, 1,42 o'clock. 17. Twelve cuts in both cases. 18. The 3 arrive at the same time.

In 5 minutes. 19. No. The run is now on the outer side of the left leg.

## New Commander For Canadian Division

Major-General G. R. Pearkes has been appointed to command the First Overseas Division, the post formerly held by Lieutenant-General McNaughton.

Major-General Pearkes was previously in command of the Second Infantry Brigade under Lieutenant-General McNaughton, now Commander-in-Chief of the Canadian Active Service Force.

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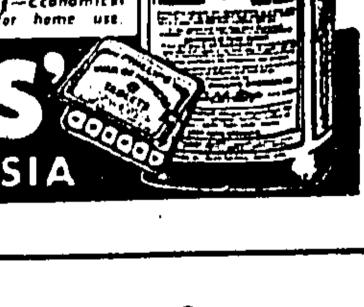
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iscket." " Yestir. Off the rigging, Sir. We told you it was wet, Sir, but you wouldn't

take no notice. Up you went like a. swo-year-old." "I see. And what did I do next?"

" You sang some songs, Sir. Greatly appreciated they was. Some of the crew asked me if you'd be so good as to write out the words."

"Pil have to think about that, Stoward. So altogether it was a pretty matey night 7."

South China Sea, Sir, since the Purser | yardarm in the South China Sea."

"Steward, there's tar on my-dinner | won the Irish Sweep. All the other gentlemen are confined to their bunks, Sir. They say it was the lobster mayonna ise."

"Lobster grandmother! Why didn't they stick to gin and Rose's as I did? I haven't got a hangover."

" You're not the first gentleman I've heard say that about Rose's Line Juice. Not by a long challe."

"Good. And now I think I could do with an eye-opener - a nice stiff gin and Rosc's. I suppose the sun is over the yardama?

"There's been nothing like it on the "Sir, the sun is permanently over the



We agree of unity the greek odess from acre beer to admire priiched om mug!"

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Far below shipbreakers were at work, with acetylene burners, cutting their way through what seemed to be never-ending lengths of steel plating, while giant cranes stretched out overhead waiting to remove hundreds of tons of steel and valuable metals to the dockside.

Thus, day after day, the transformation of the Beren*paria* is rapidly taking place and her massive

structure steadily being transferred to the blast furnaces to be turned

into munitions. acquainted with the Berengaria, her familiar three funnels to

All her main promenade deck, by

hull remains Along that part of her deck the shape of bombs. Other In the breaking-up shed tial source of supply for muniwhich has been spared by the metals are helping in the cong scores of workers, are continu-tions for Britain's war effort

sledge - hammers breaking up the metal to suitable sizes ready to be fed back into the furnaces. Here what remained of her forty-six huge water tube boilers were being broken up. Components of the engines alone are providing hundreds of tons of steel, cast iron, gun metal, copper, tin, brass, white metal. and, in fact, all kinds of nonferrous metals and alloys.

The mighty quadruple screws which drove her scores of times across the Atlantic; each weighing fifteen tons, are providing manganese bronze. All these are being melted down and refined. The thousands of blades which formed her turbines, each composed of brass, are of immense value in the manufacture of armaments. Several brass tubes taken from the engine rooms weighed over half a ton each. Over two-hundred tons of lead piping have already been British melted down, poured out into workmen are ingots, and delivered to the Berengaria for munition factories.

# BERENGARIA

## For thousands of people all An Ex-German Liner Is Scrapped Care must be taken not to over the world who were well An Ex-German Liner Is Scrapped remove too much of the structure. To Make British Munitions

wering high above her boat track has been laid for convey- fires, anti-aircraft guns and probably set up a weakness decks, her present condition, my the metal and steel, as it is shells with all the superstructure re-released from the bowels of the moved, would undoubtedly pro-ship, to the breaking-up and vide them with a surprise . . metal classification sheds near

staterooms and cabins have dis. Already many tons of the tion or another and there were garia has been steadily employappeared, and only her great Berengaria must have found fifty-six thousand tons of it be-ing one - hundred - and-twenty their way back to Germany in fore the shipbrenkers got to men, and many months will yet

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And so this t r ansformation of an historic proceeds with rapidity. under the guidance of expert shipbreakers.

ture at any one section of her entire 880-feet long hull. The error of such a process would which might even result in the Berengaria ending her days, by Shipbreaking experts compute breaking her back, before the

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white, drawn face took on a with an interminable anecdote over. "Oliver! Oliver! I wanted so much glow of happiness more marked a bottle of port for the contrast. But her mo. I was anxious to get away and "Too much Don't you see? I

her what I had to tell her "Livia," I said almost harshly bitter look in his eyes gave me a. He put out his hand, then suddenly you wasted your time on me. The feeling of great uncasiness. never brought you anything but. When finally I escaped from the to me for a moment. "Oh, fatheri misery i never will"

"So that's what you came to tell great intensity

"You want me--to release you?"

"I don't believe you. Why should 1" Why should you suddenly want to leave me, for no reason?"

could leave you!" "Oliver!" she cried "Oh, my daiing, don't let that separate us!" "It's not Oliver." "Then why? Why?"

"Do you remember that night you told me that if I could look his side and seized the hand that "Who can say?" he answered, "I into your eyes and say, Livia held it Vaynel, I don't love you', you'd go out of my life?"

eried, "You c**ouldn'**t say 11'", Shrinking inwardly, I forced my- ing no notice of him, I explained to ed toward the station, Dermot's arm self to look at her. "I can say it Rory that I cared nothing about save

On my way to Maeve's flat I can't let your father lose his. It's next morning I stopped off and the only way we have of making up bought a corsage of gardenias, to your father for Maeve."

fitted a bride: Her face was swollen with weeping, the company fall-in. I returned his "Oh, Mr. Essex, I've been trying to gun to him, secure in the feeling that get you how to tell you; but -- " I pushed past her and hurried into both left the room, leaving Oliver the flat. Already I felt, I knew al- staring at the wall. most too well, what I would find.

Maeve lay stretched out on her I watched the regiment formbed, dressed as I had left her the ing, ready for the march up night before. The remnants of a front. As I turned, about to box of sleeping powders lay beside front. Macve. My lips moved in what enter the Colonel's headquarters must have been a prayer . . to bid him goodbye. Oliver

An assignment as war correspondent for a London paper "I—I was coming to find you. took me close to the Western We're moving off now."

Front a few weeks later.

Without at first realising it, I supose—it's a little late—to be saying things," he stammered. "But found myself covering the move—that was a good idea of yours—up ments—of Rory's and Oliver's re—there. Rory is the one worth saving."

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affable old Colonel, I was promptly "Yes. I've always known it, invited to dine with the officers Good that you do, too... One thing, mess, and found myself sitting op-though. About Maeve—she never posite Oliver. Rory was absent on told me."

leave, but was expected back later "I know."

that evening. "Rory didn't believe that." He

that evening.

I got through the meal as best I smiled wryly. "All my lies came could, saying as little as possible to home to roost."

Oliver, despite the Colonel's efforts He looked at his watch, then conto promote a grand reunion between tinued hurriedly: "One thing more, us. As dinner was ending Rory ar- Don't blame yourself too much—for

I had not seen Livia in more rived, and he and Oliver went up- the way I've turned out. No matter than a month. When I came to stairs to their joint room in the old what you'd done, I couldn't have her studio, that same night, her quarters, while the Colonel held me the cards..."

ment of happiness was short- pered to me that he had seen Annie ever I may have done, I've never lived, as I forced myself to tell in London, and had found out the doubted you-I've always known you chuse of Maeve's suicide. The wild, were there. Goodbye,"

Colonel's clutches I rushed up-She looked at me searchingly, as stairs. Rory was having it out with marmuring, "My son, my son."

if sensing what was about to come Oliver, speaking quietly but with Then he was gone. "It used to amuse me to watch It was Rory who came to the you lie," Rory was saying. "You did, it so well. It's not so amusing now " house at Heronwater to bring

"I'm not lying," said Oliver death and to hand me the Viccoldly. "Maeve told me noth toria Cross awarded him posthu-There's only one reason why I ing. If you won't believe me, mously for valour in battle. there's nothing more to be done dumbly. Livin, sitting beside me on about his son's shoulder. Then I rose

about it." "But there is," said Rory softly, mine, His hand went to his service revolver. There was a question I had to ask hand on my arm, Rory. "Rory, do you think-Oliver He raised the gun. I sprang to meant to die?"

"Keep out of this," cried Rory morning-I never saw him look so "Oliver's going to pay up, and you happy." "And you couldn't say it" she can't save him!"

With my back to Oliver, and tak- lown. I watched them as they walking Oliver-that I doubted whether She stepped back away from me, he were worth saving; but that I felt unsteadily, as if I had struck her. I must save Rory himself from the

consequences of what he proposed to do. "Even if I have lost my son,

with a white satin bow as be- Rory handed me the gun. He steadled himself with a supreme Annie opened the door for me effort as the bugle below sounded he would obey my wishes; then we

What Has Gone Before: Having suffered extreme poverty in childhood; William Essex. successful novelist, lavishes every luxury on his son Oliver to give the boy what he himself was denied. Oliver grows to young manhood completely spoiled, setfish and heartless, though very charming. Essex falls deeply in love with Livia Vaynol, but sends her abruptly out of his life rather than betray his wife. Nellie. Nellie dies a few months later, and Essex tries unsuccessfully to find Livia. He then finds that Oliver, now twenty, has met Livia and marked her for his own. Oliver makes a magnanimous gesture of renouncing the girl, but it develops that he intends victimizing her after she marries his father. Found out, Oliver leaves home, I stood there holding him gently, then seduces Maeve O'Riordan, daughter of his father's best friend. When the war breaks out he culists, leaving Maeve to take the consequences alone, though he is ignorant of her plight. Essex, me the news of Oliver's heroic blaming himself for Oliver's waywardness, resolves to marry

the porch, quietly put her hand over wearily and turned to go inside the house. But Livia put a restraining "No. Let's stdy out here-in the

Maeve.

"There's no sun this morning." "It's shining behind that mist." said Livia. "It'll break through after a bit . . . We'll wait for it."

THE END

### **FUNNY SIDE UP** By Abner Dean

only know-when we went over that

Soon Dermot and Rory left for



"I want one I can confide in!

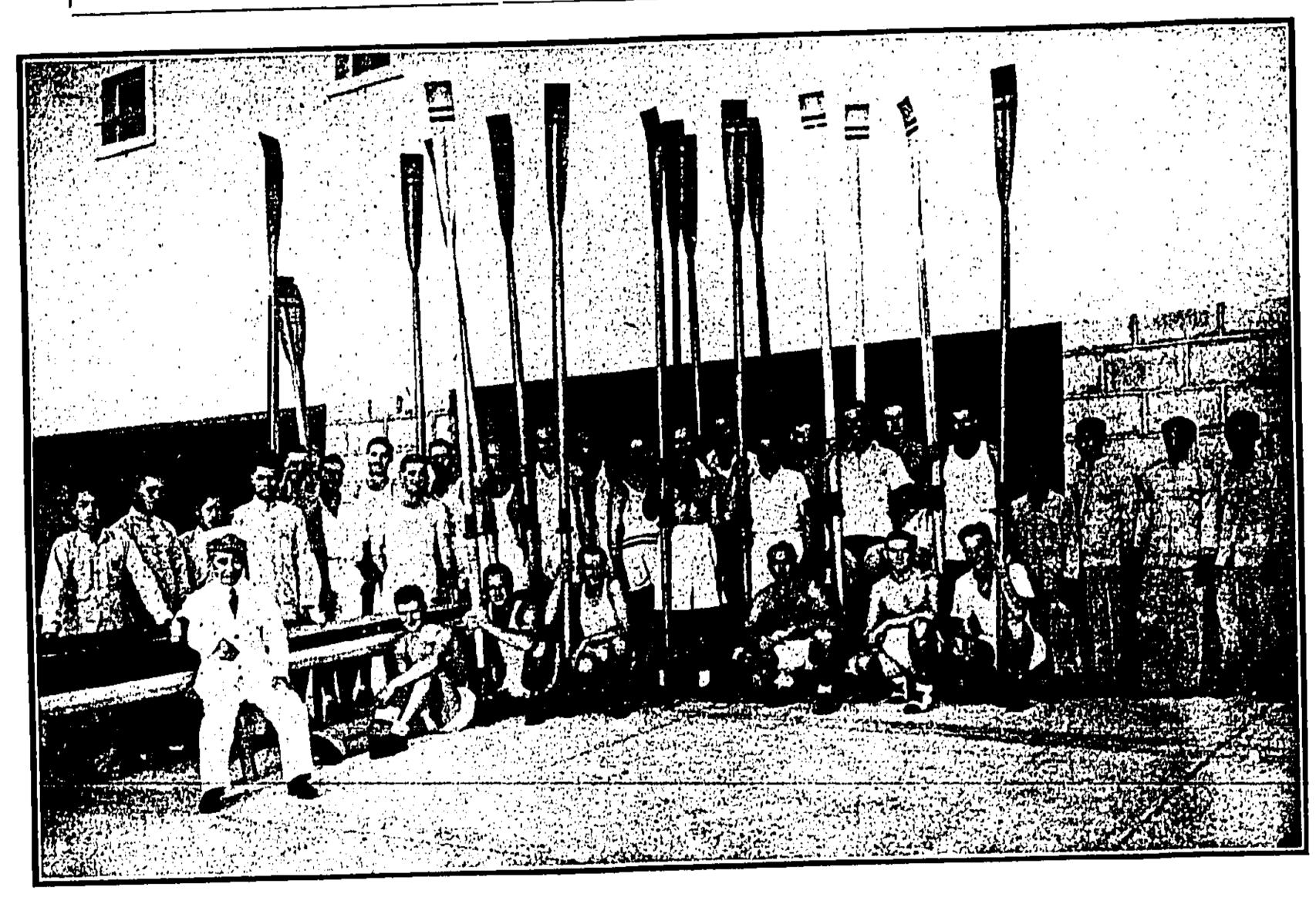
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-ACTING GOVERNOR PRESENTS LONG SERVICE MEDALS TO VOLUNTEERS-

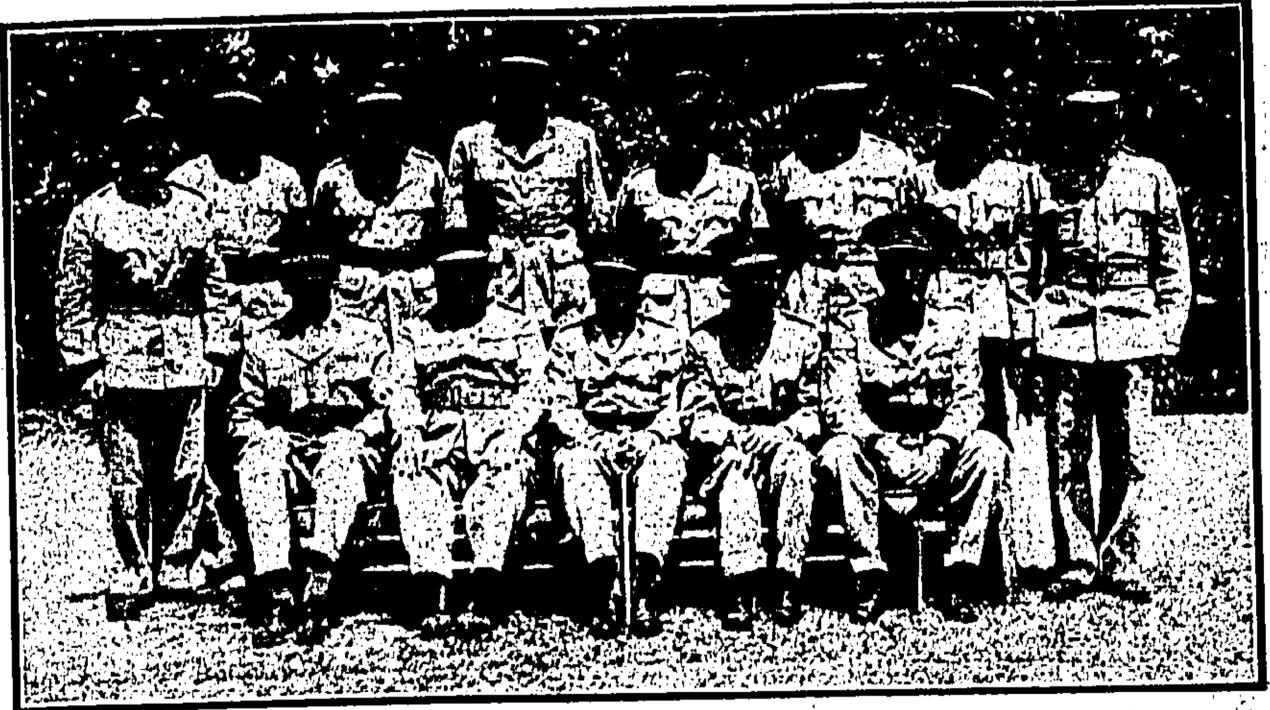
His Excellency the Acting Governor, Lieutenant General E. F. Norton presented long service medals on September 18 to 21 members of the Volunteers. All recipients had been serving in the volunteers for 12 years or more. Our picture shows the parade at headquarters before the Governor.



ROWING This group was photographed at the R.H.K.Y.C. at Kellett Island on Saturday when the Colony rowing season began.—Ming Yuen. SEASON



Mr. Yen Pao-sheng, Chinese Deputy Consul CHINESE in New York visited Hollywood on his way to his new post. Here Mr. and Mrs. Yen talk on a set to actor George Murphy.



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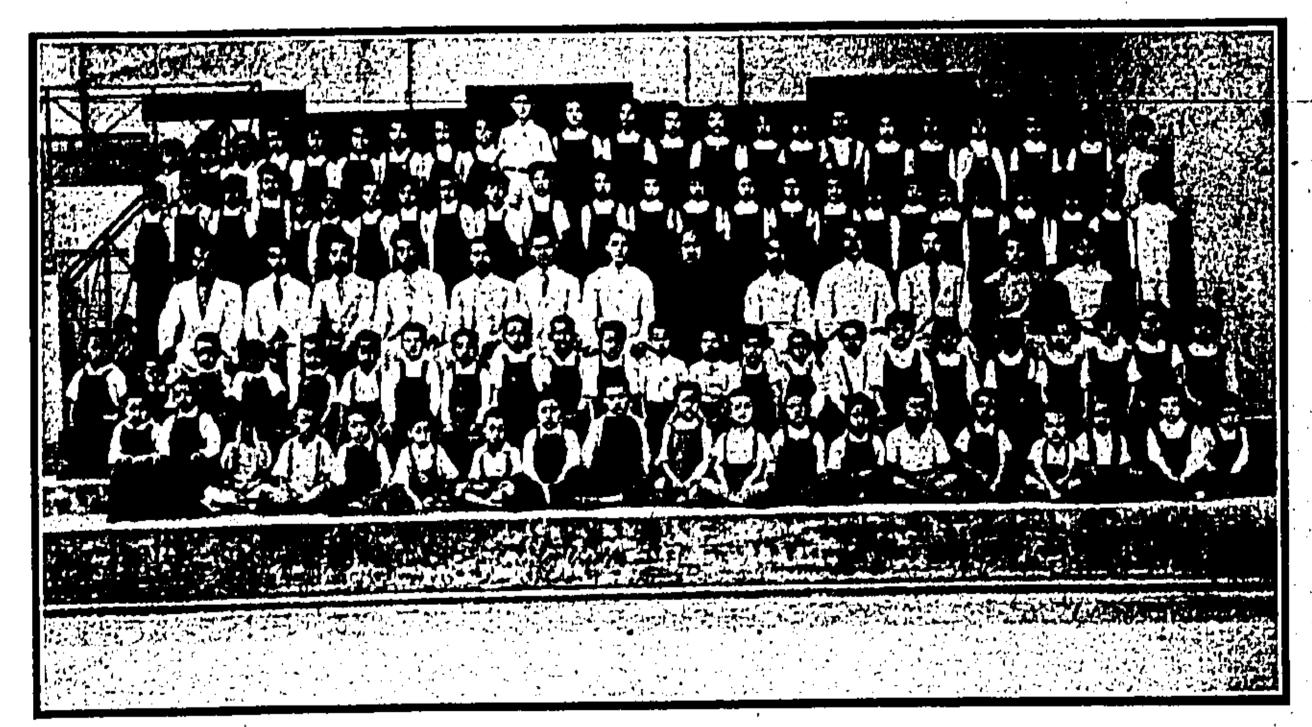
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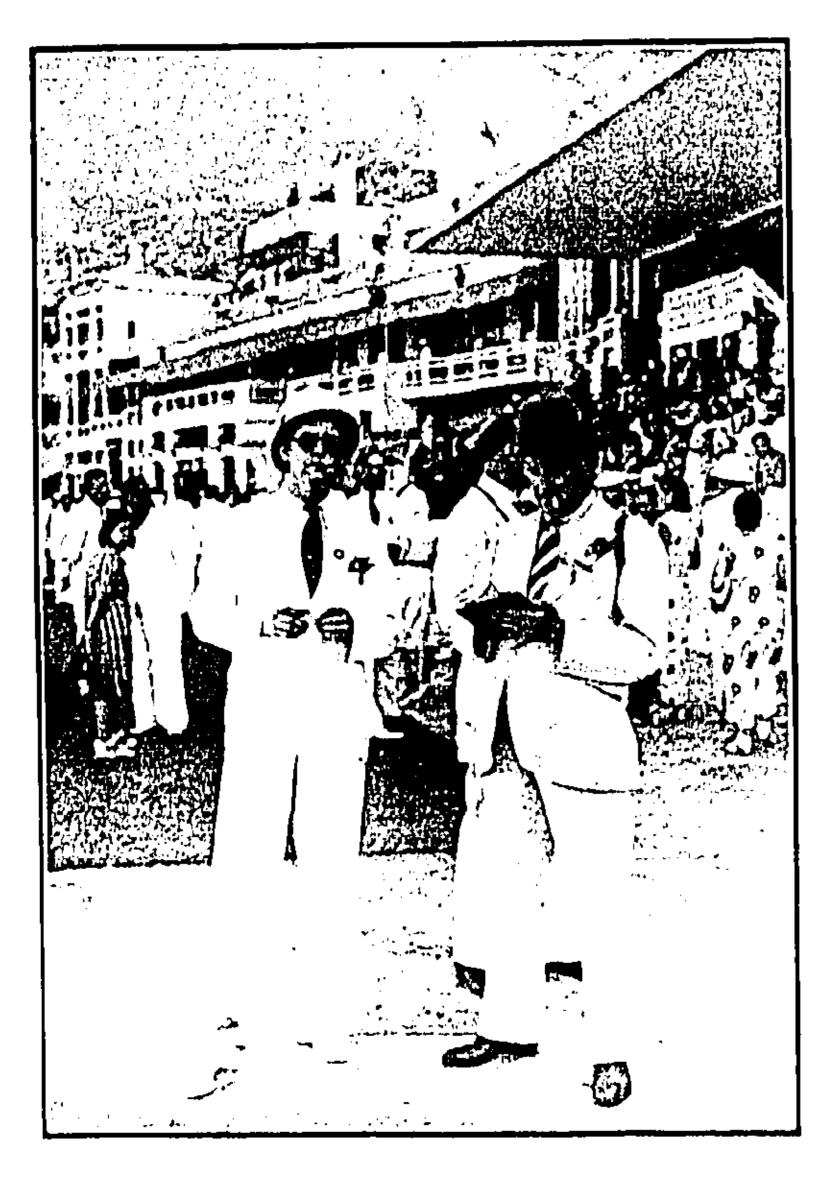


Left: Miss Joanna Claire, Mr. Chang, Miss Beth Clair. Above: Leading in Resisting Time, winner of the second race. Right: His Excellency the Acting Governor, Lieutenant-

General E. F. Norton attended the meeting.



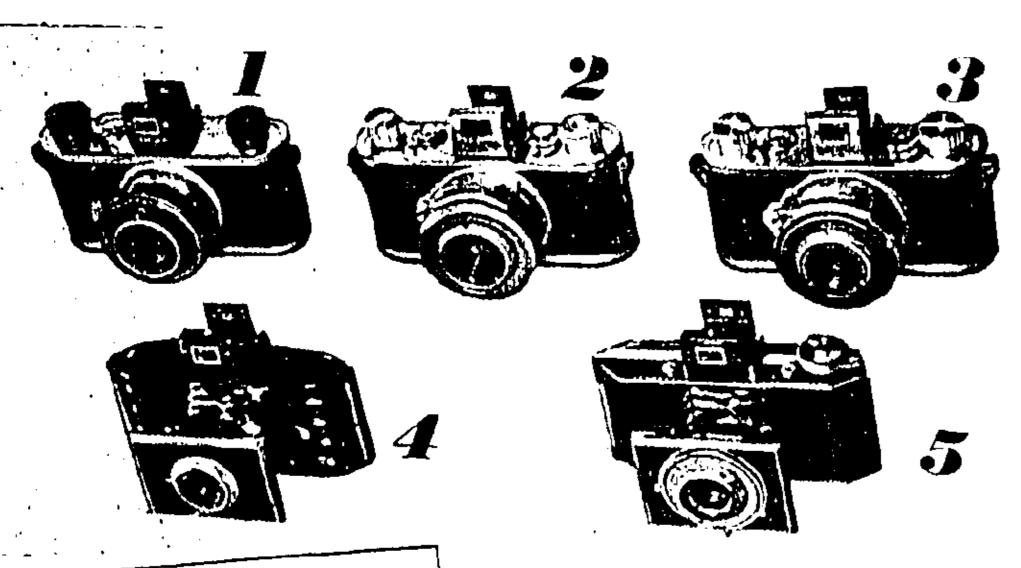
Left: There were still a few ladies at the races in spite of evacua-





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DOCTORS AND SCIENTISTS USE HORLICKS. IN HOSPITAL TESTS

PECENTLY tests were made in a great ... hospital on men and women who complained of always feeling tired.

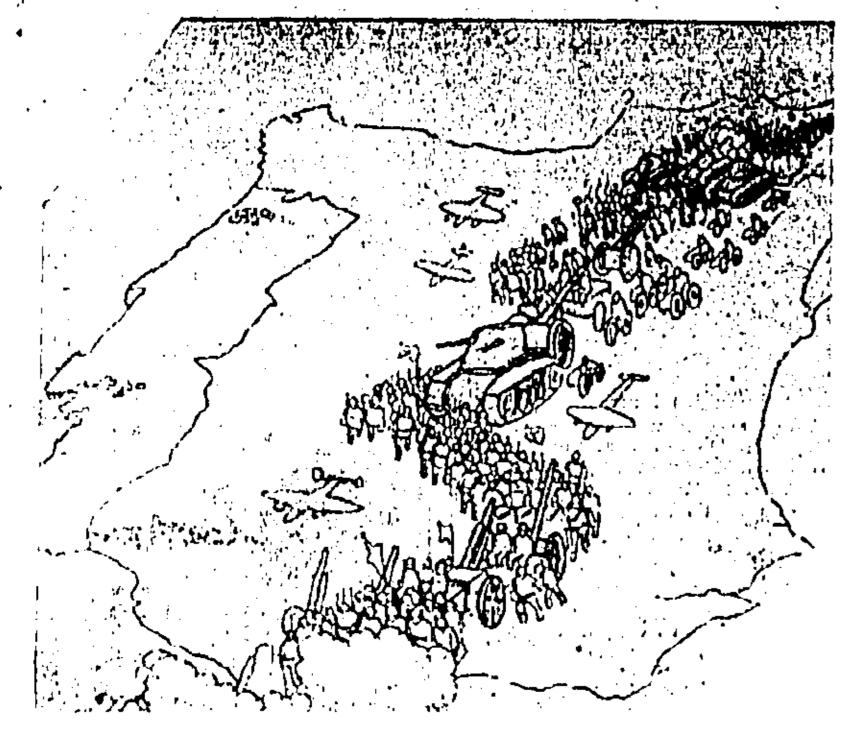
It was found that these people had an excess of acid waste products in their blood during sleep.

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# Mediterranean Blitzkrieg?

HONGKONG TELEGRAPH

Britain is living the shadow of invasion but Hitler's eyes are not? focused entirely on that island. Egypt still bars the way to the world domination of which he dreams and unless the Suez Canal falls to his legions that domination must remain but a dream.

Certainly Italy can not be relied on to any extent so it may well be that Hitler's next move may be towards the East.

A German or Italian submarine

tain to be employed as an auxiliary

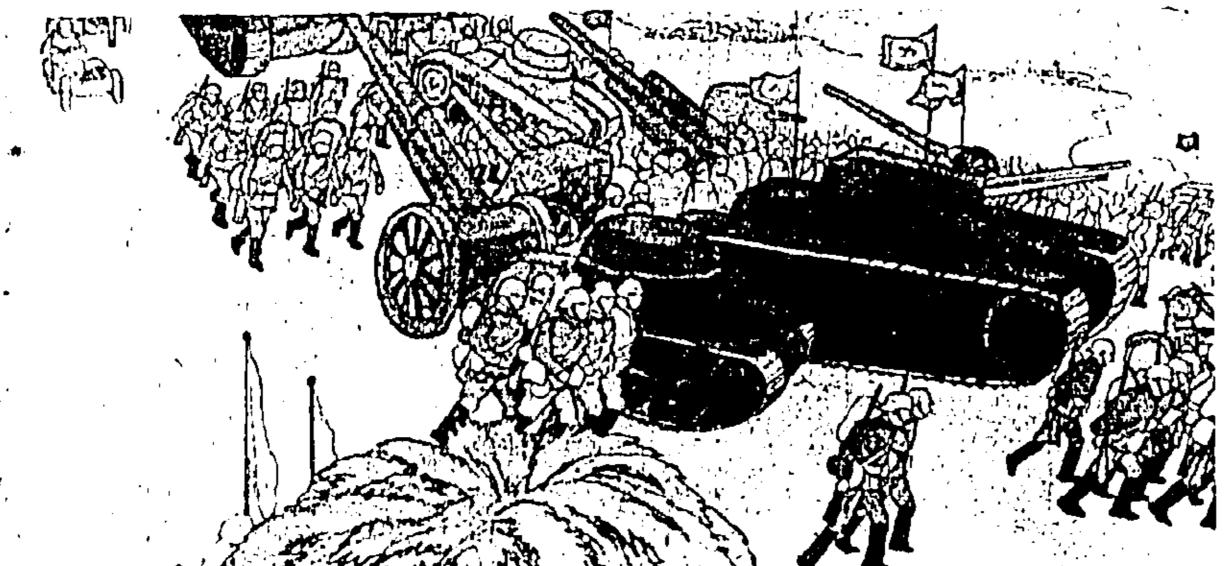
to the modern Napoleon's plan for

Canal But his principal weapon,

on the Continent. ---

total journey, by land.

to Egypt.



French North Africa Without its masters Britain loses her influence in the Middle East, the free passage of the Sucz Canal, the oil papelines to Hiofa i Polestine and Teipoli o

At is not inconceivable therefore that the real buttle for Britain will be fought out in the blue tideless waters of the Mediterranean on the describe and sof Egypt, among the newly-planted vineyards of Palestine in the twenty miles of water between the great frowning Hock of Cabraltar and the Spunish port of Conta rather. thun in Britain's own grey waters and green fields at home.

Mediterramean ceases to be a

naval war between Britain and

Italy Germany, for the first

time, has obtained temporarily

The Mediterraneig theatre of war

Jos suddenly acquired a much yaster

merely of the between Im

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Sharope Jargely under Hitters thraft

and the free people's of the British

For Hitler, as for Hirtain, the Mediterranean is a vital lifetime

Without its possession Hitler and

Mussolm can not exploit their new

conquests or partlal conquests in

Commonwealth

of the gigantic struggle between a -

agnificance. It is the scene now not

a Mediterranean constline

And since we have henceforth to deal with Hitler in the Mediterranean it is with Hit der's boasted lightning strategy that we are now concerned. in the imperial game one of the modern Napoleon's mar

The war to be longed undeed with Halian curships now that operous Buttely action has prevented. Hiller from turning the French fleet. to his own war purpose and largely. with Italian netoplane:

But in the main the many operations will be carried out by German tanks and German infastry. The Italian tanks proved madequate durang the civil war in Space and Italian infantive despite venis of Fascist training in the war spirit and in the technique of modern warfare has not yet convinced German culttary critics of its qualities.

Already German troop concentrations have been reported on the Brenner Pass, on the Jugoslav border, and in Italy itself. The surrender of Rumania to Nazi blackmail makes the situation of Jugoslavia desperate, surrounded as she is by a hostile Italy on the west, a subjugated Albania on the south, rapacious Germany on the north, and on the east an unfriendly Butgaria and a Hungary already pressing for the return of her provinces in Transylvania fore, before the Balkans fall, practically without resistance, into the outstreehed paws of the Asia part. of success.

and Turkey may be found the key to of Oran, Bizerta and Algiers from Air transport of troops is danger- am convinced from my own observa-

sarabin and Bakovina, the two [ Black Sea provinces of Ruminia, indicates beyond doubt that she the core parallel. Hitler and the new Italian air and submarine will fight to prevent the Ger. Massolia like Napoleon gazing appliase in the island of Rhodes, are. Once landed in Africa, they would

therefore will not materially assist the warlike manieloke sent against panel when it is besteged in this The sands of the desert are no bur-Musseling is a mere lieutenant, fifter and Musseling in their fight burn by the Turkish soften and for way will undoubtedly resist even fier to light tanks, although the one set Bottos. The see applies of ax month, he sat down to Mexandra mont effectively than Malta Rinson a are in officient to fill 11st and addition in the disease of the The tisinsport of German and France have not yet been tested in

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in British bands

This will bring German and Italian ready exposed Algeria. French the British fleet troops within sight of the Black Sea. Morocco and Tunisia to the risk of Relief to the Rollins beleaguered On the contrary, they are almost cerwhere Russia and Turkey alone stand. German-Italian occupation. Although in Abyssinia can only come. ready to bar their further progress the British Navy has taken dianta. (a) By an from Libya, or to Asia Minor, and the oil of Irak and effective steps to prevent the (b) By land across Egypt and the the conquest of Egypt and the Suez and Persia. In the attitude of Russia former French North African ports

tries have clearly drawn nearer to against us, it is not possible to pre- can be dropped from the air in small each other in the last few weers. Seet the occupation of Algeria and quantities, but, except in mass opera-Further has made at place that the free as by land forces despatched tions in thickly populated countries. would not only not make a a quaret from Italian Libya or (with France's like Holland and Belgium, the Ger- part of them, were landed in Africa, who had now but he would not consent from Spanish Morocco ... mans have not yet used this form more than half the battle would be And the assign of Egypt would of transport

seem to be the next nevitable step-And Russia, by serving Bes in an accompanie for the conquest

The conquest of Fgypt' Consider carried out from Sicily, Sardinia and

The subposition of the Rabbille confided. His land forces definited aerual bombardment, and Gibraltur, entire course of their route to Egypt seeds in the gigantic air and opental empires with horisett. On II dian armoured divisions from ports African conditions ear man which remine to be impended, as a protect in the collaboration

th revief the Tage is Societies at 1.4 and test to the Mediters ment more hazardous proceeding than the Pyrenees. Egypt and the Suez Cana dictators appreciates nearer to all Nelson defeated fancing the Battle of German maximum of Norway, or even must be defended at Gibraltan of Mesul and the read to India so the Nile and beneforth all beson attempted German invasion the Middle half they had become except by the oning destroyed Britain are anneal Britain were boomed to

Skagerrak or the North Sea. then can create but deadlock for trained the Suez Canal is vital to ably free from fog or mist. Its Axis dictators. The cortical is to Hitler's plans of world conquest, skies, night and day, are almost of the Mediterianean already ander it is even more vital to the sur-cloudless. Its waters are transcival of Italy's Abyssinian em-

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are beleaguered, cut off from their would merely betray the presence of But the southern shore of the base exposed to starvation, exhaus-invaders to a British reconnaissance cartridge boxes-have been handed Mediterranean would seem, at tion and murderous reprisals from aircraft cruising within a radius of over to the authorities since the war It is only a matter of time, there- first glance, to offer Hitler and the oppressed tribesmen of the exited lifty miles, emperor Dilbutt, the French port Naval operations, in conjunction Mussolini spectacular chances on the Red Sen, and the Italian Red with mass aerial attacks on Alexan-Sen port of Massawa, are their only drin, Cairo, the pipeline at Halfa, and kit-bags, and small aeropiane fittings The French capitulation has al-outlets. Both he under the guns of the British aerodromes in Egypt, must not, of course, be excluded.

Anglo-Egyptlan Sudan the Near Eastern riddle. Both coun-being employed in naval operations our and costly. Food and munitions tion of Hitler's tactics in Holland

by twenty miles of water, oppose a theoretical barrier to the land invasion of Egypt. It is true that in normal times the guns of Gibraltar and those of the British fleet based at Gibrolius, effectively—guard—the straits between Spain and Africa

Franco's strip of Morocco, separated

But if the fortress and its attendant fleet were fully engaged with enemy aeroplanes and enemy warships, the transport of German divisions from a Spanish port to the Spanish Moroc can harbour of Ceuta, where effective shore batteries would protect their disembarkation, might be dangerous, but not altogether unsuccess-

It would offer possibly greater risks of failure than the landing of the British Expedition. ary Force in Norway, but to an invader heedless of cost in human lives, and ready to risk half or all his Italian ally's fleet in the enterprise, the adamenture might prove profitable

Once his armoured divisions, or won. The experience of the buttles in France showed that although dive-Noval operations in the Mediterbombers may take heavy toll of of the suchest fibe Mediter mass an attacks on the British bases proved possible to check their rapid ranean even in co-ordination with in Maita, Cyprus and Alexandria, advance over largely undefended ter

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on the Adriatic, or **even (in th**e event — For all these reasons, therefore, my ng. And although a fooliold of the consequenting hadred havin the of an Axis domination of Greece) counsel is to watch the progress of Bilkan peningula and car or the complete realizator of hadrens from Salonika would be an infinitely the German legions beyond the

## The Mediterranean is not the WARWORK If the possession of Egypt It is almost tideless and remark-and the Suez Canal is vital to ably free from fog or mist. Its Want To Join Up

More than 2,000,000 inticles--The Italian garrisons in Abyssinia witers, under an immense blue sky, sondbags, camouflage nets, naval Ihammocks, coir fenders, sacks, and

> overtime worked Although Britain's prison population was nearly halved at the beginning of the war--when all debtors and men serving sentences of three months or less were released there Belgium and France, will be the are still 3,000 workers behind bars

In Holloway Gaol, North London, women prisoners have produced 15,-1000 mailbags since last September. But armoured columns—in Not one had to be returned as faulty Egypt? How can they be Work from the gools throughout

There are hundreds of men behind which, in inverse direction, the Arab Gaol.

conquerors of southern Europe foi- On each registration day the class lowed in the sixth century. It is the concerned registered, but they won't road which runs from ancient Gaul be able to get into the Services until Iberia southwards across the their term is finished.

Morocco, through Algeria and Libya, ."Several lifers have written to the

part of their length in the hands of "Almost all the youths are now the Axis or of their Spanish symserving their country and several pathizer, General Franco.

German legions are already concentrated on the Pyrenees, and Ger into trouble and faced three years in man, troops are being feted in San prison are now offered another Sebastian. "Only Franco's Spain, and chance in the Services."

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Other materials made in cells and workshops include gas-mask parts. The Ministry of Supply's speed-up programme has been carried into the gaols. Convicts have been given extra food as compensation for the

armoured columns, the panzerdivi- helping in the war effort. Faultless

brought there? The answer is, the country has been of the same

for ninety-nine per cent of the " bars eating their hearts out to do The road to Egypt which requires more for their country," said a man the minimum sea journey is that recently released from Maidstone

Lifers' Appeal straits of Bab el Mandeb to Spanish

Home Secretary imploring him to Over its total extent the road is let them join up and promising to built almost providentially for the cturn to prison to complete their use of fast armoured divisions. It is sentence when the war is won. wide, straight and macadamized, and 'The only men who caused any on either side lies the desert. French trouble about the production of road engineers in Morocco and war materials were I.R.A. men.
Algeria, Spanish engineers in Spanish And other prisoners show their opinMorocco, and Italian engineers in ion of them in no uncertain way."
Libya have naturally followed the Borstal Heroes

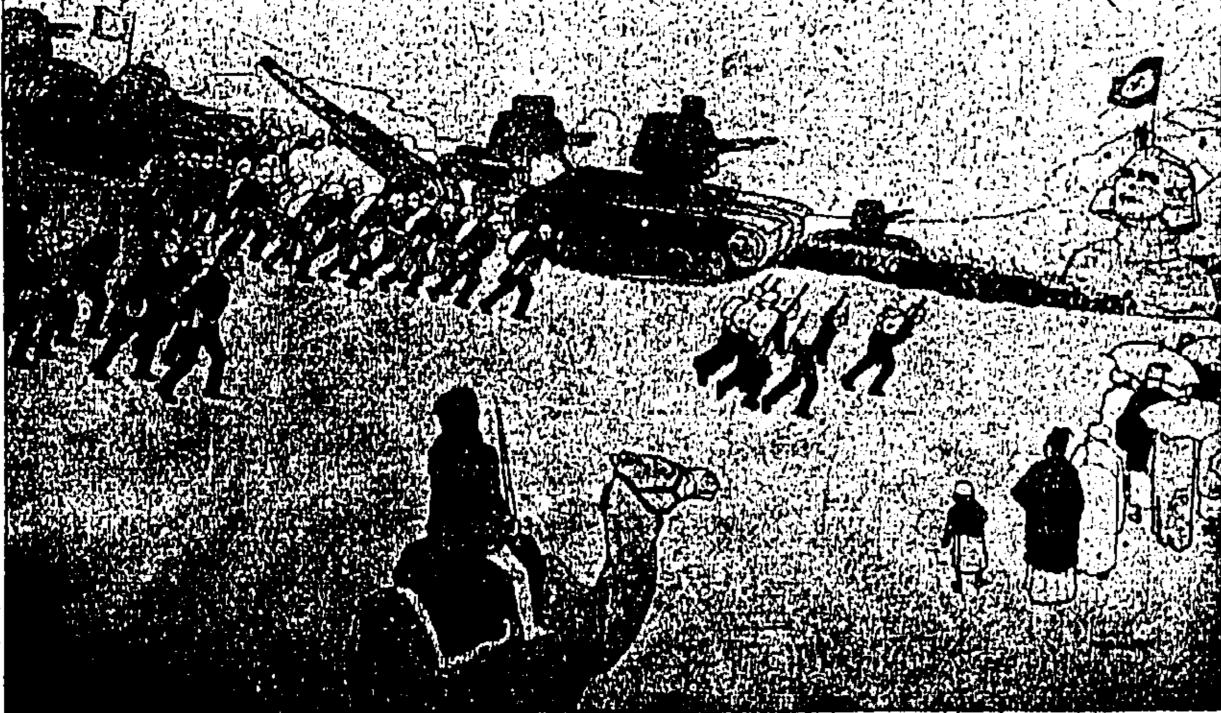
Borstal Heroes coast, where the principal cities, the most fertile regions and the vestiges of the ancient Roman and Carthachard changes in the Borstal system. Two ginian civilizations are situated. Their roads, built for internal strate-released from Borstal since the war gical reasons, are now for the greater began.

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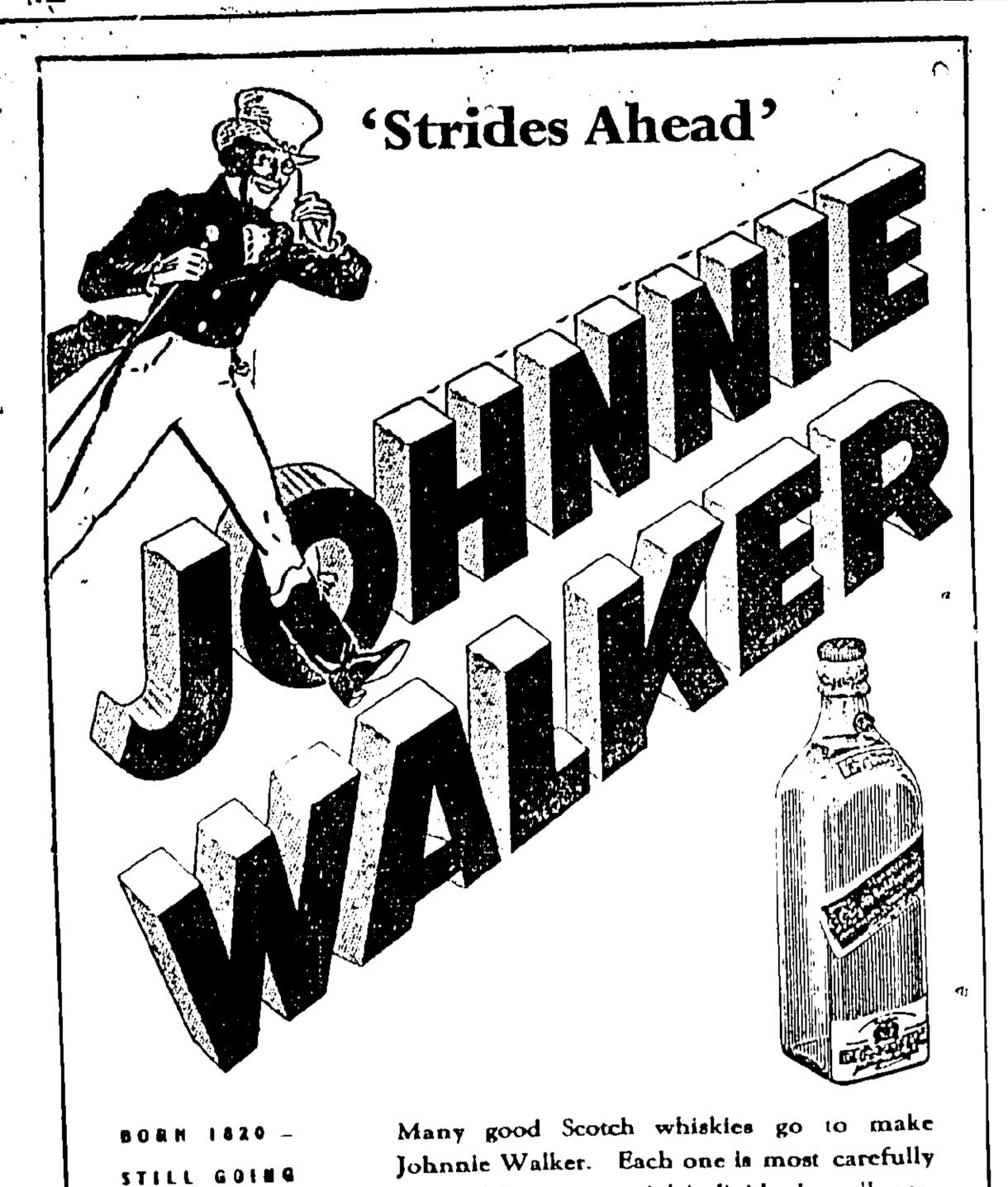
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Never, Never, Your Dentist

Pity the poor dentist! Nobody loves him. I gave up being a dentist because I found that it was making me too unpopular.

I in the chair who had a mg a drill if you don't drill somegot the forceps on to it and henved Nothing happened. patient right out of the chair.

relied on the floor 1 still kept a floor potedi here grip on the forceps, and Just

of found out later that it was the wrong tooth, but the man obtanately refused to let me have another go

That's the whole trouble. People lack the courage to have their teeth | I HAVE since thought that I'd have The dentist steadlly goes broke

14 is Himm You'll probably lose the last moment on at footh if you don't have it filled.

waite and hore a hole in it. This is been so absorbed when enjoying automatically opened and dropped [that a rat of drilling that there has not been much tooth left when I reluctuntly cented

steffed with the size of the holes white they were unconscious

LIOR instance, I had one man Anybox, what is the use of own-

I was my own dental mechanic and used to make my own plates The first thing to do is what we heaved again and pulled the dentists call taking an impression The patient is told to open his mouth wide, and then you plug in a hand-He started to struggle and we ful of beeswax or some good reliable

to the same crawling down the front 11 you put in enough, you get not type I move an extra wrench and only an impression of the teeth and gums, but also of the tongue and removed carefully, in one piece if possible. If it is seconed out a bit at a time there might be some difficolty in sorting it out

attended to, and what is the result? | done much better if I'd had a nort | them all out " of trap at the front door I lost a lot of custom through people get-I was especially good at fillings ting a strong attack of the litters at

They doome up to the doorstep, In that one would better fix it have a look at the brace plate and then discover that their tooth hid If let have had a trap-door which

up into the surgery

in vinit teeth. They must be made. When you're a dentist you realise. But, as I said, it's just as well to [what a lot of sissies most people are [keep in practice

"You won't hurt me, will you?" What do they expect me to say?
"Yes, You'll wish that you'd never been born. Scream as loud as you like. This room is sound-proof." Instead of that you've got to say, Not a twinge. Do you want an annesthetic?"

"Yes, please."

"Well, just drink this jug of

Most of them want gas. In busy periods my gas bill used to be enormous and took most of the profits. Another thing is the danger of an explosion Also one has to be so very careful not to use too much gas.

I gave some patients overdoses and they became so buoyant that they were floating around the celling for two hours before I could be them down. That's bad for business. When people come into your surgery and find the ceiling cluttered up with patients they begin to get nervous.

Of course, the medical profession tonsils. The floor polish should be has helped tremendously to boom

> When they don't know what's wrong with a patient they say, Hinm The trouble is coming from the leeth I advise you to have

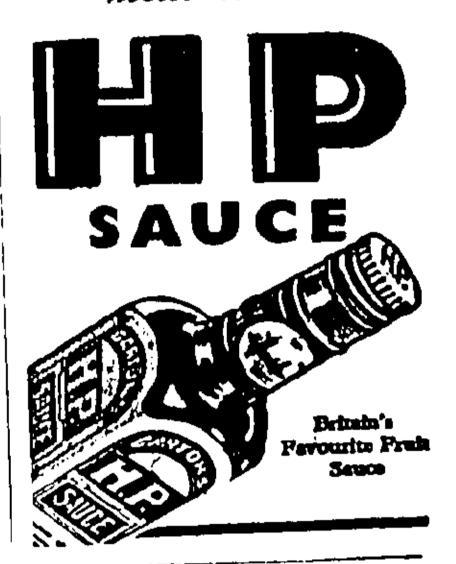
Then they go away and have their teeth out. That was why I was always friendly with doctors. I would l meet one in the street and he'd say, "How's business" "Very dull," I'd reply

"Why didn't you let me know" I'll order then pack out a suitable stopped aching and walked away send you around the next patient I Some doctors were very good like

I still do a little dental work occabeen a simple matter to drag them | signally just to keep in practice I knocked a man's teeth out only They'd probably be stunned and the other day. We'd had a bit of You will notice that no dentist is I could have ripped a few teeth out an argument and in the circum-



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VIGNETTES OF LIFE

By KEMP STARRETT





Walter Pidgeon is the pincapple grower from Hawaii who suffers from Deanna Durbin's newest attack of calf love in "It's A Date."

Film: "The Road to Singa- All this trekking down to the land "My Son, My son" is a grim but Stars: Bing Crosby, Bob Bing and Bob get back in port after British best-selling novel, "Oh, Hope, Dorothy Lamour.

COUPLE of embryonic then sock. with paint so that they can get Bing's father and his flancee, who something to eat at a native both seem to think that he should feast in the South Seas town settle down. The lads dispose of of Kaigoon and matters are just that problem by fleeing to Kaigoon.

Shout as they are throughout Existence in Kaigoon is idyille about as they are throughout until they run into Dorothy Lamour

porc."

"Road to Singapore." course, Bing Crosby and Bob Hope, of him with a fine little flame of those distinguished fugitives who "Patty-cake," and she decides to take spend their time in this picture cure of them as far as the housebasking in the tropics where they keeping goes

hope to avoid matrimony. chance to eroon to Miss Lomour and they decide they like having her Bob can keep her amused, the boys around, and both of them fall in are soon off on the wrong track love with her

## THE BOY TERROR

TN that village schoolroom in the inn, presided over by his mother, he was as often as not on all fours underneath the benches pinching the pare legs of the other boys and girls. His face frightened them whenever he wanted a thing, so determined he looked, with his immense, dark shining eyes beneath the big bulging forehead.

One little girl, the prettiest in the class stood in peculiar terror of him. He would be on the watch for her in the fields, behind a bush, on her way to school, and would spring out upon her suddenly

He would forbid her to cry, and she had to go with him meekly, a bit fascinated no doubt Seven years old, she was woman enough to enjoy being tyrannised over by this young man of five. Of a sudden ne would kiss ner, next moment catching hold of her two long plaits of hair and making her play at being a horse while he drove her

The Mille boy's name was Benito Mussolini The above pasrage is taken from "The Life Story of Benito Mussolini," by Margherita Sartatti, to which Mussolini wrote a preface in which he said: "This book vicasos me

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of Goonn-Goonn comes about when impressive film based upon the The plot is principally based on an

Verdict: A very pleasant road. First, they have to dispose of a eternal triangle clash with Brian couple of guys sent around by one Aherne, Louis Hayward, and Made--Queen's, Alhambra of Bob's old girl friends. They give letne Carroll at the three corners. him the "Patty-cake," clap hands, And then there is up-and coming

Laraine Day providing background Cauguins daub themselves Then there is the trouble with tragedy

being abused by her dancing partner, The lads who don the paint are, of Antony Quinn. The boys take care

But, of course, when Bing gets a Although they resent it at first,

Meanwhile, however, Professor Colonna, representing the rival steamship line, has been accosted by the boys in one of their efforts to get money He tells Pop where Bing is, and on come father and

When they arrive, the lads and Dotty are at the feast, and Bing is being pursued by a marriage-bent native has Finally, he has to decide to leave, but his heart belongs to Dotty and vice versa and it takes a lot of horsing around to get them back together again

Easy to take are the five hit songs woven into the picture by Victor Schertzinger, the director Among them are "Too Romantic," "The Moon and the Willow Tree" and "Kalgoon," Bing and Miss Lamour sing them, and of course there is much dancing by native girls

Film: "My Son, My Son." Stars: Madeleine Carroll,Brian Aherne, Louis Hayward. Verdict: A very fine film. --King's

THE story, by Howard Spring, L has the very great merit that it takes for theme that eternally recurring circumstance —the affection of a self-made father for an unworthy son. This is strong stuff, handled with sincerity and understanding and charm against the background of the growing twentieth century. This, undoubtedly, is one of those rare films wherein the cinema Justiis malicious. It's A Date is a thoroughly adult i There is a man who sells pineapples in

It is tautly made entertainment.

Honolulu. There is a great actress whose mother was a great actress and whose daughter is Deanna Durbin.

HONGKONG TELEGRAPH

"It's A Date."

Verdict: Definitely a date.

Walter Pidgeon.

rings out sweet and true.

coming-out dress.

unfolding.

Deanna Durbin, Kay Francis,

Deanna Durbin is to watch a flower

In this witty, delicious and altogether cap-

is no less than it was, and her voice, even if it is

Pineapple Pidgeon falls in love with Tragedy-Queen Francis and is immediately accepted by Deanna, who does not quite understand that anyone could consider her mother still worthy of marriage.

Tragedy-Queen Francis, on the other hand, accepts and painstakingly rehearses a part in a new play which has really been offered to Deanna, not understanding that her daughter can yet be considered worthy of resounding roles

pattern of comedy and near-tragedy Institute at Cambridge, in a as ever 1 did sec. I think I can promise you that you will foreword to the book. be royally entertained. I can certainly promise that you will be en-



Bing Crosby learns the mystery of the sarong from Dorothy Lamour. It all happens on "The Road to Singapore."

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TF German troops ever I manage to occupy territory in Britain you may come up against a Nazi who will question you for vital information. And he'll point out, "If you lie you will be shot."

This is indicated in a

German - English phrase

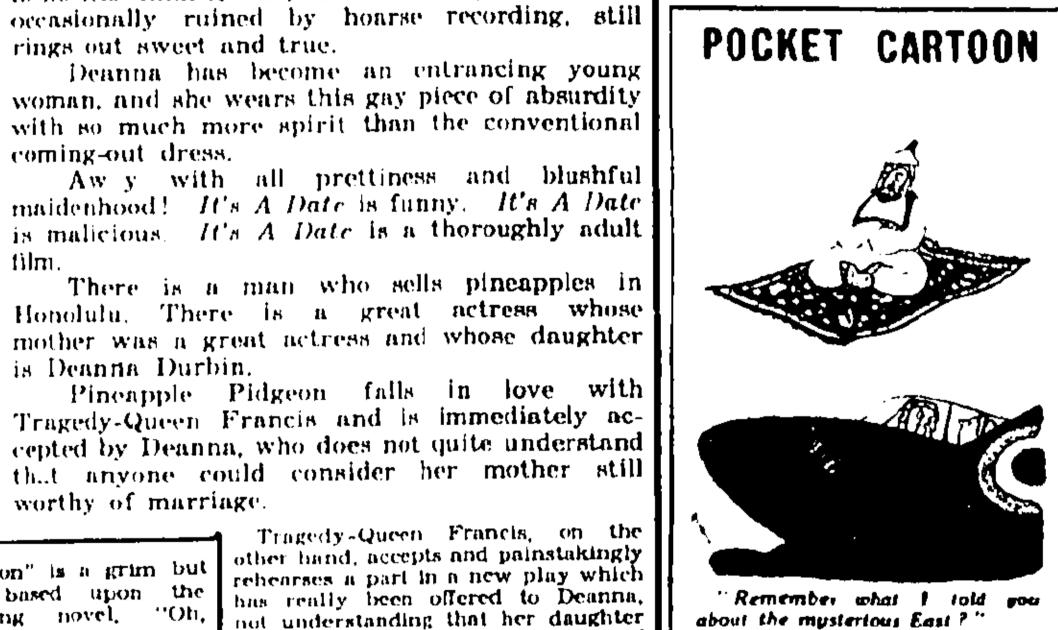
man High Command to its Civilians are to be assured "If you tell everything I ask you have no-

thing to be airaid of." All through the book's specimen conversations the shooting warning runs like book issued by the Gera refrain.

# Antarctic

Two Men in the Antarctic, by Thomas Wysti Bagshawe, New York, Macmillan, Cambridge. At the University Press.

TORGIVE the pure poetry, but to see TTERE is a readable narrative which seems incredible, fantastic. "The Antarctic is not to be trifled with; an expedition tivating picture, her face has fined, her perkiness must be well housed, well found. is tempered by a new diffidence, her sense of fun and well manned," writes Frank has become a sensitive humour, her acting ability Debenham, O.B.S., M.A., direc-



The result is as neat and pretty a tor of the Scott Polar Research

"Yet here were two young and inexperienced men proposing to winter on a tiny islet in a disused boat with handful of instruments and a scanty stock of provisions. They had a hammer and a saw, packing cases and odd natis, lots of ideas and shiploads of hope. They confounded the critics by not merely existing under such conditions but by carrying out programme of scientific work as

The two were the juniors of an expedition of four men to Graham Land, 1920-1922, the seniors both having had previous polar experience. After reaching the Antarctic concentrate precariously and being placed at a disadvastage from the standpoints of position and finance, the expedition reviewed itself, and the seniors decided to abandon the adventure. But tough whaling captains failed to dissuade the juniors.

The object of the expedition was to extend the discoveries of the Swedish Antarctic Expedition of 1901-03 under Dr. Otto Nordenskjold. by continuing the mapping of the western constiline of the Weddell Sea, and also to link up, if possible, the point of termination of that expedition's survey with the Caird Coast discovered by Sir Ernest Shackleton in 1915.

From the time they were landed to their departure on a whaler, the explorers carried on with scantiest equipment, and the record "tells of bright times as well as dull ones to dispel the popular idea that the Antaretic is a place only of grim hardships amid the relentless elements."

As unorthodox as the preparation for the adventure and the living of it is the author's final report on this, the first British party to winter in that part of the Antarctic and the mallest that has ever been South. This report is marked by a guiety and a humour that set it apart in polar records. It is amazing that wo men who had to cook, tend their dogs, and keep their hut whole, could find time for compiling a natural history log, a meteorological log, an ice log, and even a tidal log on their tiny refuge—and come out of it laughing.

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ANRIVER TO PREVIOUS PULZLE

ACROSS I—Currying tools for 11-Bareatto writing 14-Arabian (abor.) 15—Drinking counter
16—Latin tabor.)
17—Interjection
18—Part of mouth '20-Currents of air 22-Anglo-Indian weight 23—Call Sech 25—Third letter of alphabet 26-Rescue 27-Test quality of 29-Caused to sound.

horses - Factories

as bowstring

31-Domesticated

33--- Watering place 34--- Plattened

47- At this place

46 -Gullin of Dativity

47-Pelsonous serpent 49-Delonging to that

50-In the manner to

-Man's metname

(design)

38-Mistake

43 - Mothing 45 - Comfort

63-Remer of room 87-Cloen in 59 -Christmas carols 60-Inclines

37 — Accomplished 38-College rell 40-- Willow trees 41—Places on support 44--At same height 47—Second son of Adam 48—Outer coat of fruit 61 — Years of life 63-Hindu wheat meat \$4-Perform

J—Bone attached to spins 4—Fortray

-Note of scale

21 -Open fabrio 22 - Droop

24 - By all means

32—Presents for

14--Breel) bottle

38-- Prove by logic

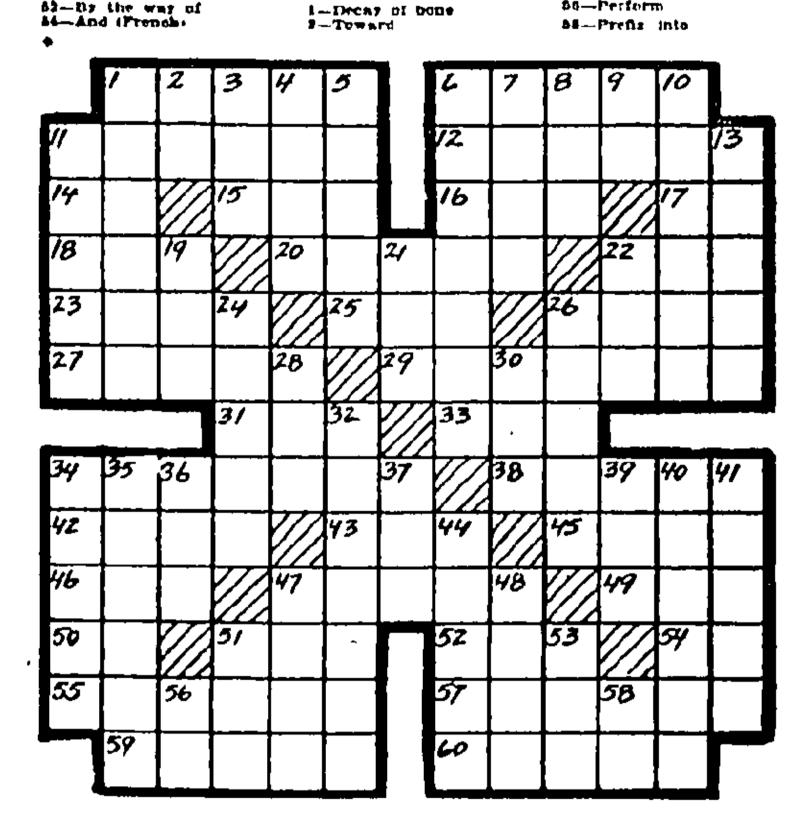
26—Bird of prev

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10 - Arm covering 11 -- Boothing ointmen 13 -- Small strip

5-Pertaining to Cen-tral Asian people

6—Fungous diseases 7—Girl's name (post.)



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# Wealthy English Girl Allowed To Leave Britain

BETTY HOLLAND, wealthy sixteen-year-old Maidenhead girl, who had 500 offers of homes in the U.S. for the duration of the war, is being allowed to leave this country with her grandmother "on compassionate grounds."

Although the regulations stated that no one-with certain exceptions, officials and others-who had reached sixteen could leave the country, the age limit has been raised "in hardship cases" to seventeen and eighteen.

Betty is regarded as "hardship case," because her grandmother, Mrs. Earle, has produced to the Passport Office a medical certificate showing that Betty is an "in-

Betty shortly for the United Statees nas also produced a medical certifi-

Such cases are carefully checked said officials at the Passport Office. Mrs. Earle, who is Betty's condum and I have decided that Betty shall go to stay with a middle class family in New Jersey.

Her house which she owns at a Maidenhead is to be used as a mater. nity home till the comes back Mrs. Earle, added that she has offered her services as a professional. escort for shildren being exacuated to the P.S., Steel has made attrance

ments to accompany eight children. belonging to well to-do families. A Nervous Invalid

Hetty will go as an adult

and and will have to belo me on ooking after the children. Betty is a nervous invalid An official at the Passport Office said: "The age limit for an exit permit has been raised for certain cases but they have to be excepArbitration Tribunals

This is part of important machinery to ensure the settle-M) Justice Samonds is a High ment of trade disputes without interruption of work during the

Min ster are Mr. Justice Gavin Simonds (chairman),

Str John Forster, and

Sir Hector Hetherington

grounds there is no age limit," tional. For instance to avoid the had been given special consideration; has been so reported, and then only separation of families or hardship because of the medical sentificates of the Minister has not referred at for Astrock accompanied it.

Court Judge, Sir John Forster has had <sup>l</sup> wide experience as an umpire, and arbitrator, and Sn. Hector Hethering. ton is chaaman of the Hoyal Commission on Workmen's Compensation. There is to be no interference with the existing voluntary joint arrange ments for the settlement of trade

If, however, a dispute count settled through such machinery or through concillation the Minister may refer all to the new Palaural whose decision will be binding.

. It will be litigal for anyone to de dopule has been reported to the Minister under the principles of the

21 Days Only A strike or lock-out will only be

The case of Betty and Mrs. Early legal until "I days after the dispute settlement either within the industry through the Tribunal

. An important provision in the Orde has the effect of giving legal force to agreements between un one and employera

It will be an obligation on all onployers to observe terms and conditions of employment not lesfavourable than those settled by

negotiation or arbitration Such settlements may be between organisations of employers and trade unions, or by a joint industrial council or similar body.

## STOCK MARKET REPORT

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> The notable feature was the lack of sizeable offerings at current levels Business Done During the Week, Union Ins \$405 Providents \$4.40, \$4.45, \$4.55, \$414 Lands \$311/4, \$3140 Trums \$15,90, \$16, \$15,95

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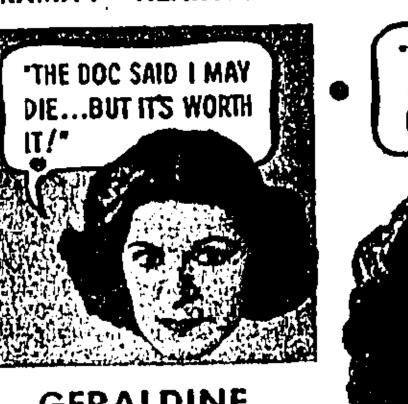
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